

# THE NAPAN

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Beef Iron and Wine, regular \$1.00, our price .....	.75
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Aromatic Cascara, regular 10c per ounce, our price, 4 ounces for .....	1.10
Fellow's Hypophosphites, regular \$1.50, our price.....	.15
Chases' Pills, regular 25c, our price.....	.39
Fruitatives, regular 50c, our price.....	.18
Douglas's Egyptian Liniment, regular 25c, our price .....	.07
All Dyes, regular 10c, our price.....	.10
Moth Balls, regular 20c lb, our price.....	.10
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## TIME FOR A CHANGE.

An enthusiastic meeting endorses Mr. F. S. Wartman as Candidate for Lennox and Addington.—The Party in good fighting trim and hopeful of redeeming the Riding.

Notwithstanding the bad condition of the roads, a large number of the electors of Lennox and Addington gathered in the Town Hall, Napanee, on Tuesday afternoon, to receive the answers of Mr. F. S. Wartman, to whom was tendered the nomination as Liberal Standard bearer in the next Dominion election. Representatives were present from all parts of the County, the Addington portion being unusually well represented.

The meeting was called to order by the President of the Lennox and Addington Liberal Association, Mr. A. W. Benjamin, of Yarker, after which Mr. W. S. Herrington, K. C. the secretary of the Association, announced that after careful consideration Mr. F. S. Wartman had concluded to become the Standard bearer of the Reform party in the County. This means a good deal to Mr. Wartman as the County is a particularly difficult one to canvass, and will entail a lot of strenuous work on his part, but if the party as a whole, and every individual in it will work with a will victory is assured to Mr. Wartman. The people of this county are growing dissatisfied with a representative who accomplishes nothing, and it is surely

### TIME FOR A CHANGE.

The announcement that Mr. Wartman had accepted the nomination was received with cheers. Mr. Wartman, in responding made a short speech, promising to give a considerable portion of his time to the object in view and will endeavor to unite the electors in every portion of the constituency. Mr. Wartman regretted that he had not the faculty of remembering faces and if he failed to recognize any of the electors whom he had met, he would be obliged to them if they would call his attention to the fact, and he would like to meet as many of the electors as possible and know them personally.

Mr. Wartman is well known throughout the riding particularly in Addington, is well posted on the questions of the day and has been promised the hearty support of a large number of Conservatives of the riding who feel that it is time for a change of representatives.

Mr. M. S. Madole, the Liberal candidate for the Legislature made a short speech announcing that he was in the field to win. It has been said that Mr. Madole in the previous contests was not anxious for the honor of being a representative, but Mr. Madole did not wish the electors to have any such impression this time as he was out to win for J. S. Madole.

The speaker of the day was Mr. L. G. McCarthy, K. C. M. P., who in a most able manner handled the public questions. He delivered one of the best addresses ever heard in this riding and held the attention of the audience all the way through.

The Liberals of Lennox and Addington are taking their politics seriously. The party lines are fading away and the party cry will no longer carry the present member to victory. Mr. Wartman's prospects are bright and with consistent work on the part of the whole party, from now until election, victory is assured.

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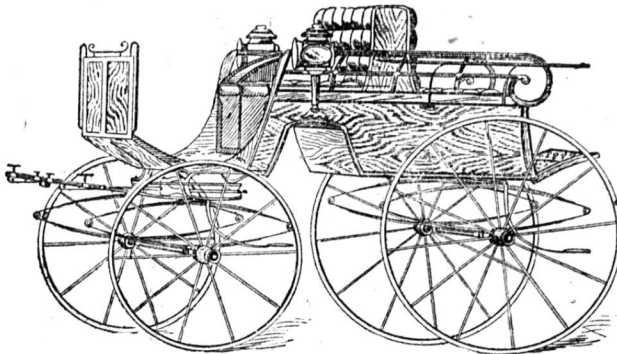
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Addington.....	800
Battersea and Jones' Falls.....	200
Barrie in Barrie.....	300
Challey's Locks and Opinicon.....	200
California, Camden.....	300
Calabogie and Springtown.....	300
Crow Lake.....	200
Howe Island.....	200
Hinchinbrooke to Conway's.....	200
Horton, Kaladar.....	200
Harlowe and Cloyne.....	200
Hinchinbrooke, 4th concession... ..	200
Inverary and Battersea.....	200
Jones' Falls and Battersea.....	300
Jones' Falls.....	200
Mississippi, Denbigh.....	200
Mountain Grove and Long Lake ..	200
Morton and Jones' Falls.....	100
Olden and Kennebec.....	200
Opeongo and Chaffey's Locks .....	200
Opeongo, to Plaut's.....	300
Oso and Maberly.....	300
Perth, in Bedford.....	300
Perth, to Burgess.....	600
Perham, to Station.....	300
Ompah, to Lavant.....	500
Sheffield line.....	150
Sydenham, to Loughboro Lake ..	200
Sunbury and Washburn .....	200
Sunbury and Battersea.....	200
Swamp Road, Portland.....	300
Clarendon and Mississippi.....	200

Rev. G. H. Copeland, who is completing his fourth year as pastor of the Methodist church at Campbellford, has received an unanimous invitation from the official board of the Deseronto Methodist church for the coming conference year. Mr. Copeland is a former Deseronto pastor, having been for five years there. He left the charge seven years ago.

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## TRINITY CHURCH ANNIVERSARY

Sunday last, March 8th, 1908, was a Red letter day with the congregation of Trinity Church in this town, it being the occasion of the first anniversary. The Rev. Dr. Carman, General Superintendent of the Methodist Church, preached both morning and evening. The auditorium of the church was filled for the morning service, when Dr. Carman preached from the subject of Zion the perfection of beauty. The choral service under the direction of Mrs. F. E. Vanluven, was excellent, Miss Margaret Shephard, of Toronto, contributing a solo of rich beauty. In the evening the spacious edifice was taxed to the utmost to accommodate the vast audience which gathered to hear the distinguished divine who preached from the Certain Effect of Sin, Eternal Death, for upwards of an hour Dr. Carman held the attention of the congregation.

It was said of Dr. Carman a number of years ago "The vivacity of our ever youthful General Superintendent is one secret of his vigor with Wesley he can say "Blessed be God, I worry at nothing." That he may retain his grace is the prayer of those who listened to his stirring utterance last Sunday. At the evening service Mrs. Vanluven and Miss Shephard rendered beautiful solos.

The tea meeting on Monday night was a great success, also after the Tea served as the Ladies of Trinity church always serve, a very pleasant evening was spent in addresses and song, Mrs. F. Cairns-Smith, Mr. Lockridge, and Miss Luella Hall, giving Instrumental selections and Mrs. Vanluven, Miss Shephard, Miss Clara Cairns, and Mr. Charles Fisher giving vocal solos, which with a Quartette filled the musical program of the evening, whilst Rev'ds Messrs. Mears, Conn, Bates, Horton, and Cairns delivered addresses which were well received by the audience, and everybody endorsed the Pastor's remark that Trinity Church had set a high standard for its Anniversary services for the years to come.

## BELL ROCK

The work on the long bridge is completed and it is to be hoped it will withstand the floods of the Springtime. The sleighing is still very good.

There has been an unusual amount of sickness prevalent around here lately.

Miss Libbie Pomeroy is convalescent after a severe attack of la-grippe.

Mrs. F. Snider who was critically ill last week is slowly improving.

James Sagriff, sr., is also on the sick list.

An aged and highly respected resident in the person of Mrs. C. Carrol, sr. passed away to her reward on Thursday morning, March 5th. Her death was quite unexpected as she had been as well as usual until the Tuesday previous. Deceased was a consistent member of the Anglican Church.

D. Pomeroy is putting in a supply of wood for the school.

Visitors; Miss Charlotte Yorke, Tamworth, at J. Yorke's; Mrs. Hartman, Violet, at F. Snider's; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Amey, Moscow, and Rev. G. Churchill, Verona, at J. Pomeroy's.

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### SPRING ASSIZES.

Spring Assizes for the County of Lennox and Addington opened at the Court House on Monday, March 9th, at 1.30 p. m. His Lordship, Sir John A. Boyd, Chancellor, presiding.

### PETIT JURY.

Geo. A. Arnold	John E. Baird.
Wm. Beatty	Ira Bradshaw.
Jas. Breckenridge	Michael Carroll.
Leopold Carscadden	David Caughey.
Wm. Calder	Harve Champagne.
John J. Clark	S. J. Close.
Geo. Davern	Chas. Dean.
Wm. J. Douglas	Patrick Drumgold.
Peter Fairbairn	Jno. Filson.
Jas. Fraser	Schuyler French.
Finley Gault	Gilbert Garrison.
M. A. Gilmore	S. P. Griffith.
J. S. Ham	Thos. Hill.
J. A. Hunter	Alexander Jackson.
Wm. C. Joyce	Sampson King.
J. L. Madill	C. W. Mellow.
Peter R. Miller	S. R. Miller.
W. Milsap	Chester Nicholson.
W. S. Nugent	Levi S. Reid.
Mallhen Rodgers	Andrew Russell.
Harry Smith	Norman Snider.
W. J. Stewart	P. J. Simmons.
Jas. Tumeth	S. C. Wagar.
Patrick Whelan	W. A. York.

The following are the cases set for trial. Fitchett vs Kimmitt—This action was settled upon the following terms. The injunction claimed by the Plaintiff is to be granted claim for damages is dismissed, and each party to pay his own costs. T. B. German vs Plaintiff, W. S. Herrington, K. C. for defendant.

Marlin vs Lockwood—Case settled out of Court. Harrington vs Warner &

### D. R. BENSON

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### THE NAPANEE AMATEUR ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

The formal opening of the gymnasium and club rooms in connection with this Association took place on Friday evening last, and although the night was one of the stormiest of the season, a large number of members and visitors took advantage of the occasion to visit the quarters of the enterprising new Association.

On entering the Club Rooms, which are situated in the Brisco block, we find that a janitor has been engaged and occupies the rooms on the ground floor and gives the impression at once to the visitors that the rooms are intended to be homelike and comfortable at all times.

The club rooms proper, which are on the second floor, consist of two large gymnasium rooms, which were formerly used as lodge rooms, have been re-arranged and connected together so that they can be used now as a gymnasium. One room is intended to be used exclusively for boxing, fencing, wrestling and single stick exercises and in this room is an ample supply of boxing gloves and a large wrestling mat has been provided and other equipment is being arranged for and will be in place at once including necessary punching bags.

The other gymnasium will be considered more as a machine room, in which have been installed ladders, parallel bars, chest machines and a supply of Indian clubs and dumb bells with necessary gymnasium mats to protect those taking exercise from accident. These two gymnasium rooms are large, lofty and airy and are well illuminated by specially arranged electric lights and made bright and attractive in the day time by a large number of windows facing the street.

Immediately adjoining the gymnasium have been arranged comfortable sitting or lounging rooms, carpeted and curtained, and made very cosy and homelike. In these two rooms and in these rooms only, members are allowed to indulge in smoking, it being prohibited on the rest of the premises. These sitting rooms are intended to be the means of developing the social element of the Club and a resort for all men of the town, and especially for young men, who are boarding in our midst, where they can meet their friends and spend an enjoyable and profitable evening with no evil surrounding whatever. It may be said here that one of the stringent rules of the Club is that no intoxicating liquor is allowed on the premises and no person, under the influence of liquor, is to be allowed in the Club Rooms under any excuse whatever.

Connected with the gymnasium with a hall are the dressing rooms. These are, perhaps, one of the most expensive features of the Club. In these dressing rooms are found lockers arranged around the wall for the use of the members to keep their gymnasium clothes ready for use, when they visit the club and each member can have his own distinct locker and his own private key thereto. Installed in the dressing rooms are two large and roomy shower baths with gas heating attachment so that, at all times, hot and cold water can be obtained and adjoining the dressing room is a comfortably equipped wash room, and the rooms are now also supplied with a telephone.

From the enthusiasm so far shown by the members in connection with this Association, we anticipate that it has come to stay and that it will ultimately be the common gathering ground of all those interested.

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St. Patrick's Church Concert, in the Brisco Opera House, Tuesday, March 17th. The best of Irish melodies by the best talent. Plan open all day Saturday.

Private despatches from Ottawa indicate that there will be no military camps at Niagara-on-the-Lake, London, Barriefield, or any point east of Winnipeg this year, except at Quebec City. The military authorities at Ottawa are planning to combine this year's training with the ceremonies incident to the big Quebec tercentenary celebration in July. It is conceded that the new experience to be gained by the mobilization, camping, and military operations of twenty thousand men on the historic Plains of Abraham will be worth considerably more than the usual camp training would be.

Deseronto Tribune—On a recent Sunday afternoon a young man and a couple of ladies from Napanee came to town behind a horse that usually showed a speed of 4:11:44. But when they turned the postoffice corner the equine suddenly developed a Maud S. gait and deposited the load in a snow bank, with the cutter on its side. After that a free-for-all was indulged in by the horse, which cantered eastward in a Mincepina-like course. At the corner of Prince street the festive animal met its Waterloo in the person of Andrew N. Gilmore, who suddenly brought it to a standstill. In the melee Andrew's new hat was reduced to wrack and ruin, and he got a nasty cut on his leg from the horse's shoe. At this opportune moment the dumped young man came up—did he thank the rescuer, or offer to replace the damaged castor? Not much he didn't. He simply scowled, jumped into the rig and drove off.

### LAPUM.

Levi Brown and James Huff, are filling their ice houses.

A number from here attended the funeral of Anson Montgomery, at Wilton, on Thursday.

Mrs. Sydney Bush was called to the bedside of her mother who is very ill. Shovelling and ploughing out roads are the order of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Boulton, spent Monday, with friends at Sunnyside.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Joyner, son George, and daughter, Florence, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. F. Wallace, Colebrooke.

The missionary sermon given in the Methodist church in Wilton, on Sunday, by Rev. E. Farnsworth, Yarker, was largely attended from here.

Visitors; Mrs. Michael Love and

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### New White Waists—

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terms. The injunction claimed by the Plaintiff is to be granted claim for damages is dismissed, and each party to pay his own costs. T. B. German for plaintiff, W. S. Herrington, K. C. for defendant.

Marlin vs Lockwood—Case settled out of Court. Herrington, Warner & Grange for Plaintiff, H. M. Deroche, K. C. for defendant.

Hambly vs Wagar—An action for slander brought by Jno. W. Hambly against German Wagar. The Jury brought in a verdict for defendant, Frank E. Hodgins, K. C. and U. M. Wilson for plaintiff, H. L. Drayton, K. C. and John English for defendant.

Graham vs Wagar—Also an action for slander brought by Chief Graham, of Napanee, against German Wagar. The Jury brought in a verdict for defendant, F. E. Hodgins, K. C. and U. M. Wilson for plaintiff, H. L. Drayton, K. C. and John English for defendant.

Howe vs McMath—An action brought by Alexander C. Howe against Jas. McMath for damages, for misrepresentations in the sale of eighty acres of land in Richmond. Action dismissed without costs. Herrington, Warner and Grange for plaintiff, G. F. Rutan, K. C. for defendant.

Napanee Gas Co vs Boyle & Son—An action for an account. Referred to S. S. Lazier local master to take the accounts between the parties. Further directions and costs reserved. G. F. Rutan, K. C. for plaintiff, H. M. Deroche, K. C. for defendants.

Lasher vs Cartwright—An action for work done brought by Martin Lasher against Sir R. J. Cartwright and Alfred Knight. Referred to the Local Master at Napanee. Further directions and costs reserved. John English for plaintiff, D. H. Preston, K. C. for defendants.

The Grand Jury was not in attendance as there was no criminal business and they had been notified by the Sheriff not to attend.

Horse Clippers, Horse Clipping Machines, Fellock Shears, all kinds of horse goods at  
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A despatch from Ottawa says the dissolution of parliament by May 1st and a general election about June 24th is the programme decided upon by the government, upon which the prime minister is sounding his followers.

The Kingston Whig of Tuesday says:—As a result of a visit from one of the directors of the Ontario Motor League, F. F. Miller, Napanee, a very enthusiastic meeting of motorists was held here last evening, at the residence of W. J. Fair, King street. A strong club was organized.

Deseronto, Ont., March 10.—The Deseronto Iron Company have closed down their smelting works here on account of not being able to get charcoal. This throws many men out of employment, as the company employed men on both day and night shifts the year around. It is not known at present what the company intends doing.

Work has been commenced on the Trent Valley canal at Trenton. Larkin & Sangster, of St. Catharines, have the contract for the first section, which extends up the river Trent from Trenton to about Glen Miller. They have 1,000 men at work now, for the most part engaged in excavating. Between four and five millions will be expended on the first three sections.

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We wish the enterprise every success and commend it to the patronage and support of every citizen of Napanee.

**Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Cresolene Tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.**

## A MAN'S BANQUET.

Something unusual in the way of banquets was the Man's banquet given in the Western Methodist Sunday School room on Wednesday evening. Covers were laid for three hundred guests and considerably over two hundred guests were present to enjoy the good things so generously provided. The Committees in charge of the various arrangements were indefatigable in their efforts to make the banquet a successful one and amply provide for the comfort of their guests. The decorations of the room were in red, white and blue bunting and flags and were quite effective. After the refreshments had been done justice to, the chairman and pastor of the church, Rev. J. R. Real, made an affective opening address and read the regrets of a number of guests who were unable to be present, among them those of Rev. F. T. Dibb, Rev. C. O. Johnston, Rev. J. P. Wilson, Rev. Father O'Connor and Rev. Canon Jarvis. Mr. Real then took up the toast list and proposed the health of the King, when all arose and sang the National Anthem. The following toasts were then proposed.

Our country, proposed by Mr. F. S. Wilson and replied to by Rev. Cairns and Rev. Mears.

Our Sister Churches, proposed by J. L. Madill answered by Rev. J. R. Conn and Rev. W. H. Emsley.

The Western Church, proposed by Mayor Ming and answered by Rev. G. S. White and Mr. M. S. Madole.

Music, proposed by Mr. A. E. Paul, and replied by Messrs. Chas. Fisher, and W. R. Lott.

The Ladies' proposed to by Mr. E. Ming and replied to by Mr. Thos. Symington and Rev. C. W. DeMille.

The bible class, proposed by Mr. Chas. Stevens replied to by Mr. W. T. Gibbard.

The addresses were all short and very interesting and were listened to with attention so much so indeed that all too soon the hour came for dispersing. The addresses were interspersed with quartettes by Messrs Carson, Black, Fisher and Graham, and solos by Master Louie Ming.

The object of the banquet was indeed a worthy one, seeking as it did to arouse a more active interest in church work among the male members of the churches, not only the particular church in which it was held, but the men were urged to become active workers in their churches whichever one that might be, and a strong invitation was extended to all those who were not in the habit of attending any particular church to identify themselves with the W. M. Church, and more especially the bible class of that church, whose members were the movers in arranging for the banquet on Wednesday evening. The refreshments were supplied by Mrs. A. E. Rikley.

Dr. Morley Currie, M. P. P., for Prince Edward county, who underwent a delicate operation in the Toronto General Hospital for an ear disease, is up and about.

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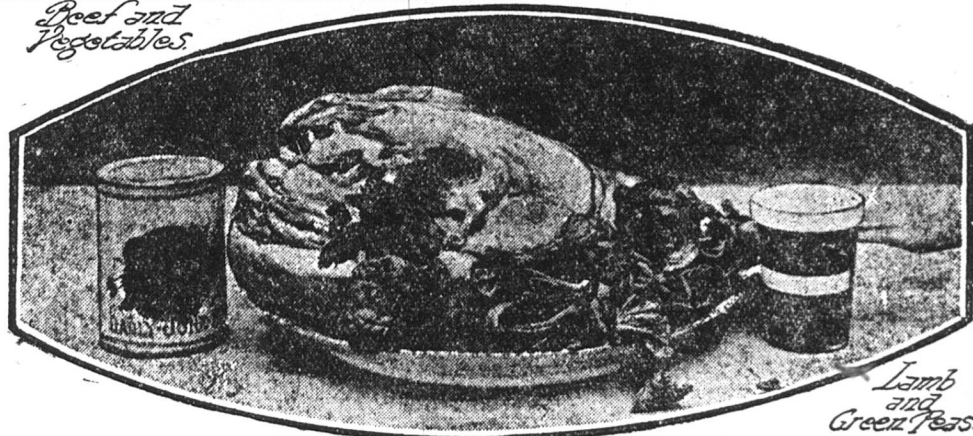
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## Not a Day Passes But That We Realize That Men Cannot Live By Bread Alone.

"How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him that bringeth good tidings."—Isaiah, li., 7.

The church stands in the community as the special organization and agency of religion. What has a man a right to expect from the church? It takes its place among the world's institutions, every one of which must justify its existence and its demand for support by showing the contribution it is making to the world's good.

If we are thinking of the Christian churches then they stand in the community avowedly to do the work of their founder. They are to be the community's spiritual leaders. This is the first thing we have a right to expect of a Christian church, indeed of any church, that it shall speak to our inner selves and lead us into eternal truth.

But leadership is a larger matter than teaching or doctrine. Spiritual truth has to do with our own selves, with our natures and developing or dwarfing lives. Our need is for guidance and inspiration, for one who goes before and illumines the path for our halting, doubting steps.

The great need that drives us to church, and unsatisfied there, may turn us from its doors forever is this need of the inner life. If all the churches can do is to give lectures on literature and art, to render concerts, and provide entertainment we would rather look for those things to those

### WHO CAN DO THEM BETTER.

Man wants to look above himself; he would see beyond the clay; he would catch visions of those high ideals that have moved the race in days of old, have turned peasants into heroes, have made the weak strong, the cowardly valiant in fight, the meek to be the glowing martyrs and masters of mankind. He wants clear answers to the deep questions that rise in his own heart and conscience.

In the glut of material things there is felt deep and keen the hunger for love and truth, for treasures that moth and rust cannot corrupt and thieves cannot steal from us. There never will be any quest as to the place of the church that meets these deep needs and longings of men.

If, like her master, she has learned the secret of the life that consists not in the abundance of things possessed, that sets not its heart on silver or gold, if she has learned the love of life supreme over all passions, the love not of her own life alone, but of the fullness of life for all men, she will not need to ask for any other authority or potency among us.

The world waits for inspiration, for the passion of great faiths, for visions that stir men to noble endeavor. Even our most practical concerns fall flat and barren unless they are animated by some great hope or dream. Religion is the passion that makes life worth while, that reveals its inner values, that enables every man to bear his cross and do his part for the sake of the life of all.

Often we criticize the church because she does not go into reforms, because she seems to do

### SO LITTLE PRACTICAL WORK.

She does not need to go into such things as if no other could do them; she must be the force pushing the men out into their own service, the power that compels us to do the work we ought to do for the world's salvation.

But what is a church after all but the socialized expression of the religious life of a group of people. We ourselves determine what such an expression shall be. If the church fails it is not because we have failed to put our lives into her service? It is folly to sit down and talk of her sins; we are only condemning our own sloth.

To say, too, that we have no concern with the church simply is to say that we have no part in the social religious life of the community; we extradite ourselves from the higher, the spiritual communal life. We have a right to expect help and inspiration from the church only as we make it a means of help and inspiration to others.

Every man has in him some message for all other men, each of us has his share to give of the world's illumination and inspiration. Is it not our business to pool our spiritual possessions, to bring together every high thought and rich hope and through the association and gathering of men for mutual inspiration and help make the best good of each to become the common good of all?

HENRY F. COPE.

## THE S. S. LESSON

INTERNATIONAL LESSON, MARCH 15.

Lesson XI. Jesus Heals a Man Born Blind. Golden Text, John

9, 5.

### THE LESSON WORD STUDIES.

(Based on the text of the Revised Version.)

A Group of Discourses.—In chapters 7 and 8 of John's Gospel are recorded several separate discourses of Jesus spoken by him at Jerusalem during and just after his autumnal visit to the capital city to attend the Feast of Tabernacles. At this point in John's narrative we must insert the synoptic record covering the later or third period of the Galilean ministry of Jesus, and also the beginning of the so-called Peraean ministry. The events of these periods are recorded in Matt. 15, 21—19, 2; Mark 7, 24—10, 1; Luke 9, 18—10, 42, and several scattered references in Matthew. Among the most important events of this period must be included the visit of Jesus to Tyre and Sidon, the healing of the blind man near Bethsaida, the transfiguration, the sending forth of the seventy, the parable of the good Samaritan and the visit of Jesus to Martha and Mary at Bethany. At the close of the discourse of Jesus recorded in John 7, 10—39, the Jewish officers sent to take him returned empty-handed and made their report to the Sanhedrin, leaving Jesus unmolested. Then, after a brief interval, possibly on another day he again addresses the multitude, this time testifying of himself as to the source of truth and life, "the light of the world." Again, shortly afterward, his theme is spiritual freedom. Everywhere the multitudes heard him gladly, though this fact only exasperated his opponents among the Jewish officers the more. John is careful to note in this connection that among those who believed on Jesus at this time were at first a few also of the Jewish hierarchy, but under the test which Jesus applies to their faith, and which was intended to

strengthen that faith, the latter proves insufficient and breaks down completely, changing to bitter hatred and hostility. In point of chronological order, the events mentioned in our lesson passages follow closely after the visit of Jesus to Bethany. They are followed in turn by the discourse of Jesus on the good shepherd and the events connected with his presence at the feast of dedication.

Verse 1. Blind from his birth—a fact which the man would be likely to emphasize in his appeal to passers-by for alms, since he would then be looked upon as an unfortunate who in all probability was suffering for the sins of his parents or remote ancestors.

2. Who sinned, this man, or his parents?—A question reflecting a threefold Jewish belief: (1) that physical suffering was in most cases a direct punishment for sins committed; (2) that the sins of parents were often visited upon their children; (3) that even an unborn child might commit sin for which some deformity at birth might be the punishment.

3. Neither did this man sin nor his parents.—Words in which Jesus repudiates in an emphatic way the belief implied in the question of the disciples (compare Luke 13, 1-5). The actual sinfulness either of the man himself or his parents is, of course, not denied by Jesus. Not punishment (justice) merely, but something higher, even a manifestation of the works of God, is the purpose of this personal affliction. Divinely permitted in the natural course of events, human suffering is made to serve a higher purpose in harmony with God's plans.

5. When—Or, "why," cr. "as long as."

6. Anointed his eyes with the clay.—Not that Jesus could not have healed the man without these means, but because he willed this to be the channel of his power. Perhaps also these material means were necessary as a pedagogic measure whereby Jesus entered in more direct personal contact with the blind man, emphasizing by the touch of his hand the fact that the cure emanated from his person. The blind man's faith in Jesus as the author of his salvation had its starting point in the knowledge of this fact.

7. Siloam—A Hebrew word meaning literally "gushing forth." The fountain referred to was one of sweet, abundant water in the extreme southeastern part of the city. Like the fountain of the virgin which it supplies, its water is marked by an intermittent ebb and flow, resulting from the peculiar subterranean character of the spring itself.

Which is by interpretation, Sent.—The Hebrew name being commonly rendered in Greek by a word having this significance.

13, 14. Bring to the Pharisees him that aforetime was blind.—In order that these also may question the man more closely concerning the manner in which he received his sight; all for the purpose of finding an occasion, if possible, to take legal action against Jesus. This occasion the Pharisees were not long in discovering, since it was the Sabbath on the day when Jesus made the clay, and opened his eyes.

16. Keepeth not the Sabbath.—Jesus did not keep the Sabbath according to the traditional custom of the Jews which sought by man-made rules to regulate the minutest details of conduct. The rabbinical leaders often indulged in long dissertations and hair-splitting controversies about the right and wrong of even necessary actions on this day.

17. Again.—Referring to the previous inquiries first by the neighbors and then by the Pharisees (verses 10, 15).

A prophet.—And hence God's representative and mouthpiece.

19. Asked them.—They inquired of the man's parents concerning three points: the identity of the man himself, the fact of his being born blind, and the explanation of how he has regained his sight.

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parents answer without hesitation, but on the third point they declined to express an opinion.

We know not.—They deny emphatically any acquaintance with their son's benefactor. The reason for this denial is explained in the next verse.

22. Be put out of the synagogue.—The greatest disgrace that could befall an orthodox Jew; equivalent in modern phrase to being expelled from the church, though much more serious in its social effects in a community where everyone in good standing belonged to one and the same religious profession. The rabbis at a later date distinguished between several degrees of excommunication; but generally speaking, such an excommunication meant an exclusion from the social and religious privileges of God's people.

24. Give glory to God.—Referring not to the glory of the miracle which had been wrought, but to the homage to be paid to God by the confession of the truth (compare Joshua's command to Achan, Josh. 7, 19).

27. Would ye also become his disciples?—Cautious at first and respectful toward rank and authority of his questioners, the man at last grew impatient under a cross-examination which revealed the feebleness and indecision of his questioners. Referring them again to his former statement, he asks what purpose is to be served by going into the matter again, adding, doubtless in a tone which betrayed the intended irony of the query, the words of our question.

29. We know not whence he is.—Shortly before this they had claimed to know all about his parentage and earlier life, using the fact of such knowledge as an argument against his claim to Messiahship.

30. Herein is the marvel.—The haughty and passionate abuse stirs the men to indignation, and he is not slow to take advantage of the opening afforded by their profession of ignorance of the source whence Jesus derived his miraculous power. His plain but effective argument, however, serves but to augment their irritation, and brings upon him the severest judgment which it was in their power to pronounce. The excommunication from the synagogue which his parents had feared is his reward for his straightforwardness of speech.

31. Cast him out.—By force from their presence, and undoubtedly also by formal procedure from membership in the synagogue.

Finding him.—These words imply a searching on the part of Jesus.

39. For judgment.—Not the act of judging, but its result as determined by the attitude which men take toward Christ. "This manifestation of latent character was one of the ends, although not the supreme or ultimate end, of his coming into the world."

They that see not.—Those who recognize and admit their ignorance, like the blind man who had inquired of Jesus, "And who is he, Lord, that I may believe on him?"

They that see.—Those who deceive themselves and imagine that they have no further need of light, like the Pharisees, who said: "We know . . . and dost thou teach us?"

41. If ye were blind.—In the sense of being conscious of ignorance as was the man who had been blind.

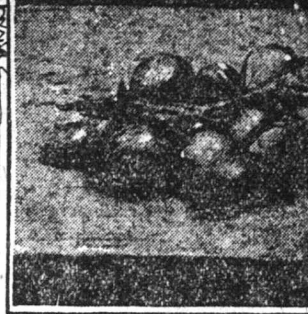
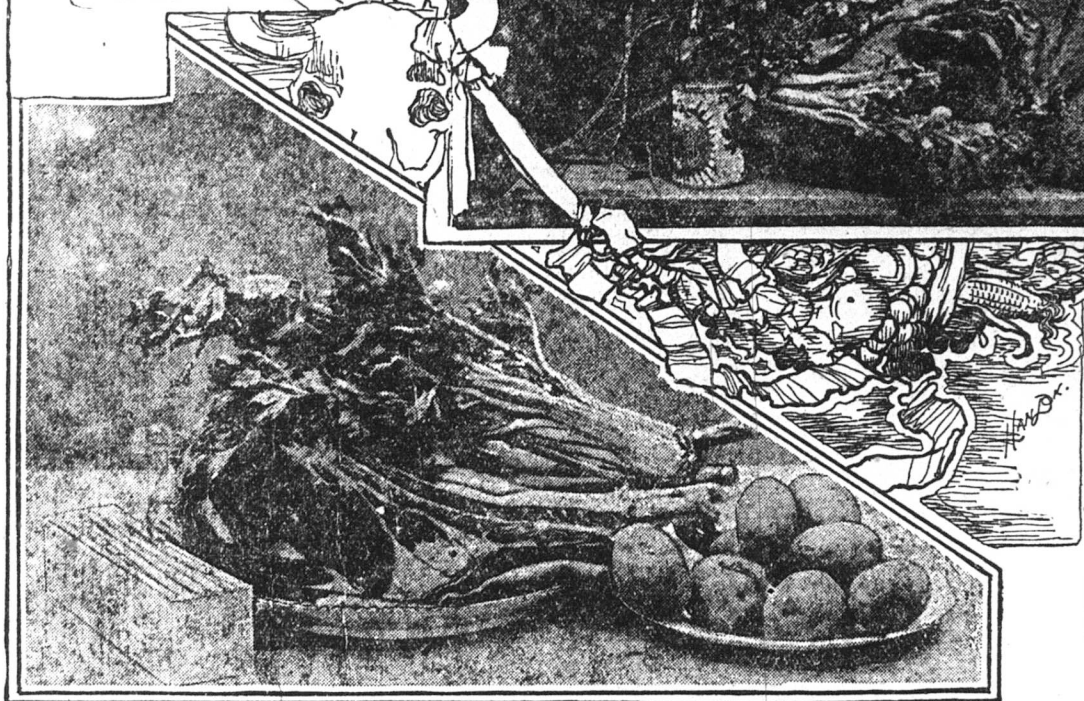
Ye say, We see.—In spiritual pride and self-deception they were taking the guilt of their ignorance upon themselves, thus making impossible a further revelation of truth to them.

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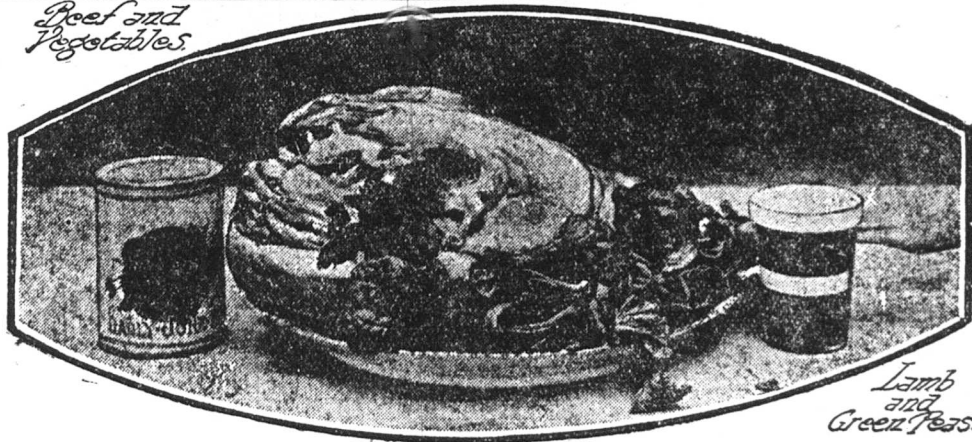
"I am so sorry that Mrs. Brigham is moving out of the city. I shall miss her so much."

"Were you such good friends?"  
"O, it isn't that we were so friendly, but she has the nicest set of flat silver in the neighborhood, and I used to borrow it every time I wanted to entertain."

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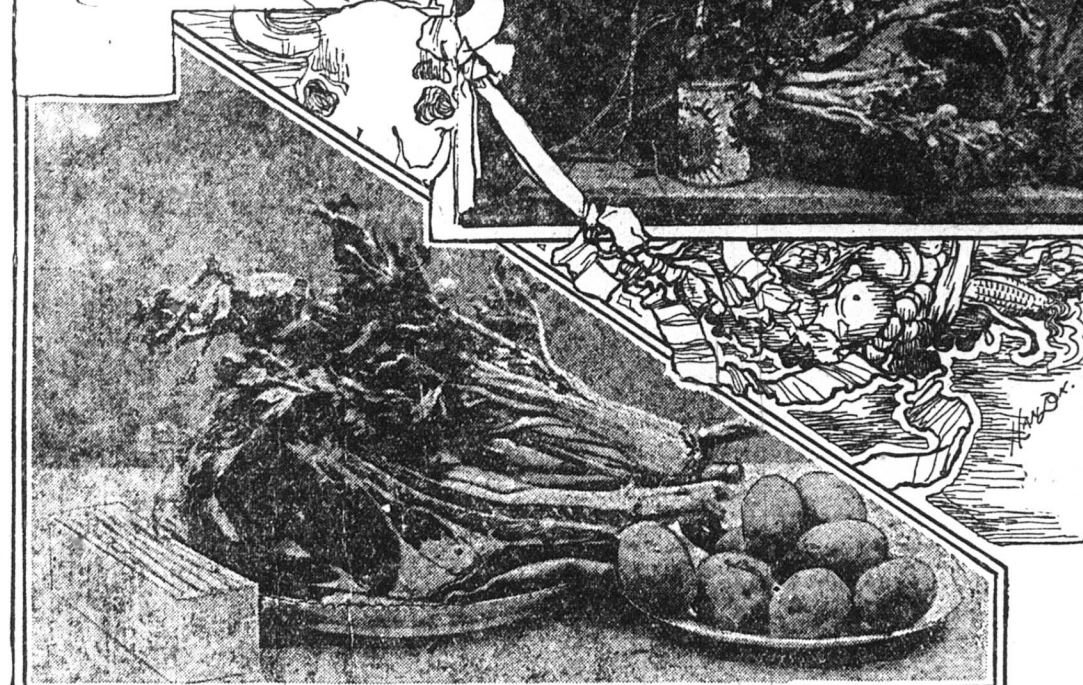
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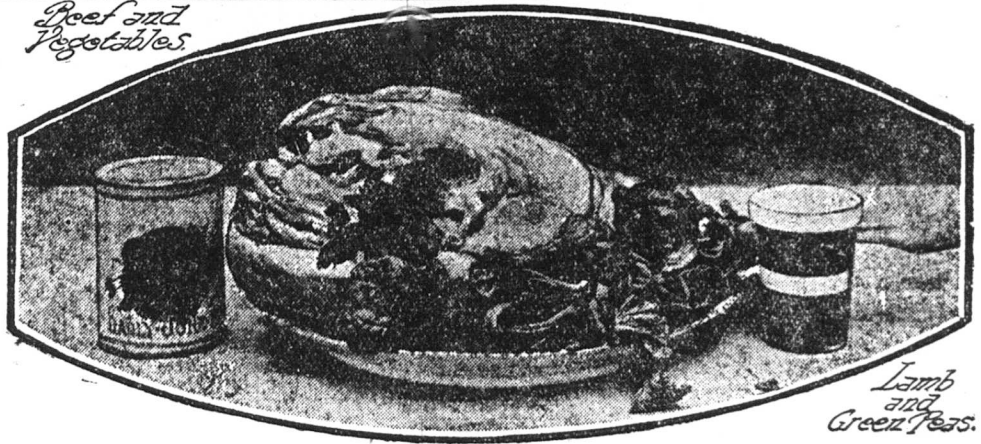
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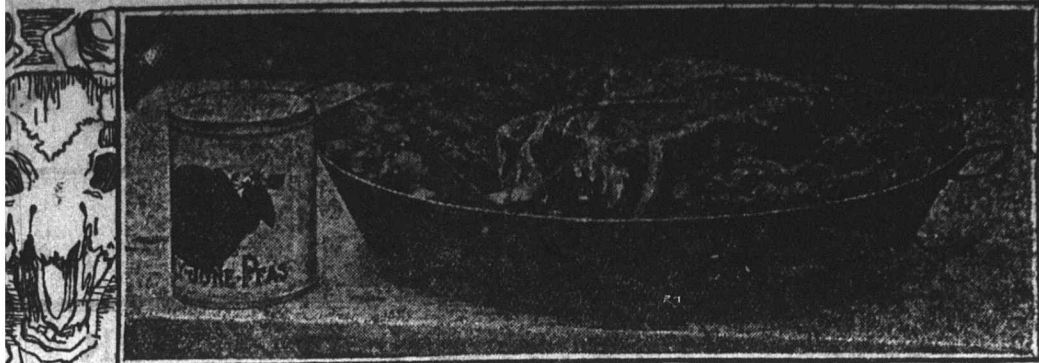
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*Pork and Spinach*

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cook and eaters. Here, as in numerous other gastronomic unions, we obey a pointing of natural appetite rather than conventional usage. Vegetable acids are required to neutralize natural oils. Some kindred law may have ordained that green peas shall be served with roast lamb and with ducks. Apple sauce is demanded as a partner of roast duckling and fresh pork. Mint sauce and currant jelly are expedient as adjuncts of lamb, but not obligatory.

I have found that red meats seem to ask for white vegetables. This is especially true with roast beef and steak. The housewife instinctively jots down in her day's dinner memorandum, in line with the roast sirloin, macaroni, mashed potatoes,

a sauce of lemon juice and butter.

Asparagus agrees amiably with white meats, and is not amiss with mutton, and even beef. At the risk of incurring the disdainful disapproval of the anonymous lecturer, I assert that green corn will be enjoyed when eaten at the same meal with chicken of any age. Our finest broilers come to perfection—the very glory of their tender, youth—when the most delicious of American vegetables, green corn, is in full season. Shall we deny ourselves either, or both? Indeed, I do not just now recall any meat with which it would not harmonize.

Cauliflower, brussels sprouts and broccoli are all akin. They are patriarchal branches of the peasant cabbage stock. Each goes well with steaks, chops, cutlets and ham. All are a trifle too pronounced for poultry and real lamb. Yet I ate with great delight the other day a creamy soufflé of cauliflower, which was a side dish to the tenderest turkeyling that ever passed my teeth.

Gastronomic effects are an engaging study. Each housemother, however modest her means, should bestow some attention upon it, and evolve new and agreeable effects.

The tomato is a most catholic and engaging vegetable. His juices are various and all benevolent of disposition. As an accompaniment of fish, he is invaluable. So few things "go" comfortably and agreeably with fish that some women object to the frequent introduction of it into their menus. Potatoes, of course, must support it in some form. Green peas may go with the more delicate varieties of fish. Macaroni is acceptable at a family dinner where boiled cod or halibut has the chief place. In fact, a delightful entree is made from leftovers of fish and macaroni. Beyond these, who will suggest a vegetable adjunct to Friday's dinner?

I shall be glad to receive any suggestions upon what is to me, and I am assured to a majority of our members, an interesting branch of culinary philosophy.

*Marion Harland*

## Washing Paint

IN EVERY HOUSEHOLD the paint must be cleaned, and it is always a problem to new housekeepers how this difficult feat may be accomplished without streaking. China gloss must be treated in quite a different way from the ordinary white paint; otherwise the dirt will collect in the uneven places, and it takes much unnecessary rubbing to remove it. The proper way to clean it is to add a little ammonia to the water; scrub with a soft brush and finish with chamolis. No soap should touch it.

Ordinary paint may be scrubbed with good white soap or soap and ammonia, if it needs much cleaning. Paint should be kept clean from the first to keep it in good condition.

## REFUSES GREAT FORTUNE

THIS YOUNG MAN DOES NOT DESIRE WEALTH.

He Was Left a Legacy of \$150,000 on Condition That He Change His Religion.

England is in a state of amazement at the present time over the stand taken by a certain young man of the name of Henry Baxendale.

This Baxendale belongs to a sect known as the Primitive Christians. Recently he fell heir to a legacy of \$150,000, the only condition being that he abandon this belief. He refused without a second thought.

Such behavior naturally created much surprise and people are now asking themselves what beliefs can make a man scorn money so. The question has been answered by an interview, which appeared recently in a London paper.

## LIVES ON FARM.

The talk took place on Baxendale's farm some miles out of Westerham, in Kent. Here he lives with his wife and a little community of simple believers in the "inspiration of the Word." The number varies. Just now there are seven of them altogether. Sometimes there are more. But, however many or however few they are, they have all things in common and live in accordance with the Apostolic commands.

"We believe," said the strong-featured, thoughtful-eyed young man in up-to-date farmer's dress—tweed coat and breeches, leggings, flannel shirt and soft collar—"we believe in the visible appearing of Christ, and we live in the certainty that God is watching over His chosen. To us this world is merely a place of proving, of testing, no more than an ante-chamber to the world which is on the outer side of the grave. We see almost everybody occupied exclusively with the things of this life, and they seem to us to be like people in a burning house refusing to escape.

## NO HOARDING OF MONEY.

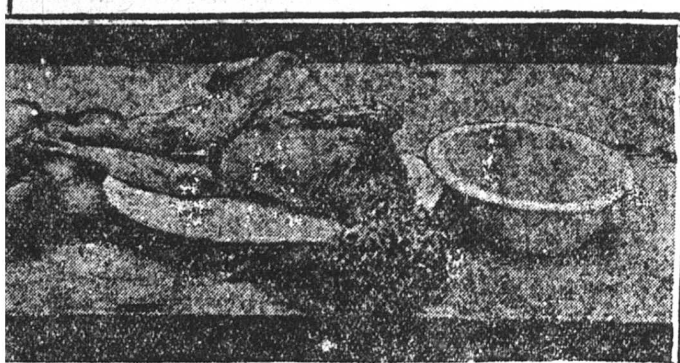
"We will have nothing to do with business, with hoarding up money in banks, seeking to heap together riches by speculation, providing against future contingencies by insurance. How could those whose minds are set upon the eternal realities be dazzled and beguiled by the artificial and the untrue? Everyone who insures his house or his life is denying the existence of God. We leave all in God's hands, certain that He will provide.

"It may be that this money will come to me, though I shall do nothing to advance that result of the negotiations. So, it will be spent in spreading the faith and in supplying the needs of the brethren. No Bible Christian can remain rich. However much money he inherited, he would not keep it long. The farm here supplies our needs, and we sell what we have left over, devoting the proceeds to the issue of booklets in which the truth is set forth. We lead an ordinary life; we eat ordinary food. Of course, our fare is simple, and we do not indulge ourselves with much more than the bare necessities of life. But we are happy, and we know that our election is sure. What falls us in this world is no matter. Our thoughts are fixed upon the world to come."

## NO ADORNMENTS.

There are no pictures or adornments at the farm. Neither art nor music appears to the followers of the Old Paths to contribute to the glory of God, which can only be showed forth by the purity of living. Even the glories of nature seem to them to be almost a snare.

"You have beautiful country all around you," the interviewer said.



*Chicken and Onions.*

criticism?

So much for so little! Now to the business in hand.

Without having a practical knowledge of "chemistry in cookery," we all comprehend, as by some principle of natural selection, that certain meats "go well" with certain vegetables. It is not practicable to lay down castron rules on this point. A few general directions may help the puzzled housekeeper, who is further befogged by such arbitrary folly as the discourse of the would-be epigrammatic lecturer of whom she writes.

To take a familiar example—the homely and frequent visitor to the farmhouse table—corned beef suggests, by the mere naming of it as the piece de resistance at the family dinner, cabbage, in some form, and mashed turnips. In the olden time, North and South, cabbage was boiled with the beef, and almost as commonly turnips with the corned chine of pork, which was the alternate of brisket or round of beef. If the cabbage were not cooked as an accompaniment to the meat, it appeared as coldslaw. Corned beef and cabbage, corned pork and turnips are joined together in the imagination of

onions, perhaps stewed celery or oyster plant. All agree well with the "heartly" meat.

Stewed onions (young) are delightful with boiled or roast fowl. The mention of fricassee chicken brings the thought of boiled rice. Spinach and string beans chime in as naturally with roast veal or veal cutlets. A roast of "shoat" must be flanked by sweet potatoes. Hominy pudding is called for imperatively by fresh pork—whether it figure as roast, chops or the succulent and toothsome "tenderloins."

It is wholesome and grateful to the educated palate that a salad appear in the meal where white vegetables go with the meat. Let the housemother study and apply the hint. Green esculents are essential to the well-being of the human digestive apparatus. It cannot maintain tone and strength upon a diet of starch alone. And rice, beans, potatoes and macaroni are starch. Temper them with the merciful influence of celery, spinach, green string beans, Swiss chard, kale, and, in the season when they may be had, with young beets, boiled tops and roots, and eaten with

namely, how to secure bulls of better potency that will enable him to breed up his herd. Under present conditions, this is an exceedingly difficult matter. The farmer buys a bull, uses him for two or three years, and then to avoid inbreeding he sells him and buys another. He does not know and he can-

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## THE PLAGUE OF POOR COWS.

It grieves us to think as we write of the very large per cent. of the dairy farmer's feed and time being wasted every day, every week and every month of this 1908 because he is undertaking to make money from cows which on the average are giving only about one hundred and forty pounds of butter fat per year, just enough to pay for the feed and labor, but furnishing no real profit to the farmers.

There is no necessity for a continuance of this state of affairs, but it seems almost impossible to induce the farmer to take measures to protect himself from this constant loss. All that is necessary is to use the scales and the Babcock test to ascertain the actual yield of the cows during the year. It is not necessary for him to weigh and test every day. Professor Eif, of the Kansas station, who has given the matter especial study, is our authority for the statement that weighing and testing the milk three days in the week will be accurate to the extent of 96 per cent. of the amount of milk produced and 94 per cent. of the butter fat as compared with the record taken every day during the period of lactation.

There is scarcely an eighteen-year-old boy on a farm who could not be induced to weigh and test the milk three days in the week, in case his father will not do it, and thus determine what cows are dead beat boarders, mere manure factories and hence unfit to use in a dairy herd.

This, however, does not solve the whole problem, for it does not tell us how we can breed cows of dairy quality. By buying the best cows that are available and testing them the farmer can in time develop a herd that will produce two hundred and fifty pounds of butter fat a year. He might safely take two hundred pounds as the minimum, and he can reach this in the course of two or three years. If one hundred and forty pounds will pay the cost of labor and feed then the sixty extra pounds will be profit and surely this is sufficient to induce the farmer to ascertain the facts with reference to his herd, now that means have been furnished him in the shape of the Babcock test.

This having been done, and a herd of two hundred pound cows being secured, a more difficult problem remains,

namely, how to secure bulls of better potency that will enable him to breed up his herd. Under present conditions, this is an exceedingly difficult matter. The farmer buys a bull, uses him for two or three years, and then to avoid inbreeding he sells him and buys another. He does not know and he cannot know at that date the value of that bull for dairy cows. Another year must pass until the first of the heifers comes in and he cannot determine the value of these for still another year, really not for two years. Hence in the matter of breeding he is simply going it blind.

What is the remedy? We know of none except an organization among farmers in the neighborhood, or among patrons of a creamery who use the same breed of cattle by which they will be enabled to keep track of cows that are heavy butter producers, say three hundred to three hundred and fifty pounds, and buy from each other, calves from these cows and when their merits as dairy sires are ascertained sell them to each other or exchange with each other. This involves co-operation, for which farmers, as a rule, are not yet prepared, but for which they will have to prepare themselves if they are to get the real value of the feed that they are now wasting on inferior dairy cows.

Creamery companies could be very helpful in this, if they would, and to their own great benefit. Many of them are gassing out of existence for the simple reason that the supply of milk is running short, partly due to the centralized creamery and partly to the fact that the cows that are producing their cream are not yielding more than half their capacity.

These creameries could afford to employ by the year some bright young fellow who understands how to handle the Babcock test and good practical judgment in the way of preparing balanced rations, to ascertain for the farmers just what their cows are doing and to suggest better methods of feeding. This in time would lead to an organization of the patrons among themselves by which they would be able to select sires worthy of a place at the head of their dairy herds. This is the method followed in Denmark, the most up-to-date butter producing country in the world. We know of no other way which will enable the farmer to get the value of the feed that he now wastes upon his dairy cows.—Canadian Thresherman.

Landlord—"How do you find the steak, doctor?" Guest—"H'm! By hunting carefully all over my plate!"

to add a little ammonia to the water; scrub with a soft brush and finish with chamolis. No soap should touch it.

Ordinary paint may be scrubbed with good white soap or soap and ammonia, if it needs much cleaning. Paint should be kept clean from the first to keep it in good condition.

## Fire Dogs and Screens

NEW fire sets are shown where the screen fits inside the andirons, thus preventing any log from falling out on the hearth and smoking into the room. The "fire dogs," too, keep the screen steady, while an empty fireplace is always an unsightly thing, and the inside screens seem to make it as unobtrusive as possible.

The wire netting is plainly bound in a rim of the same material, brass if the screen is brass, iron if a castiron set is used, and just below the frame are two handles. At the bottom it has slits made and bound, which fit over the andirons, and to keep it in place the latter must always be the same distance apart, otherwise the screen cannot be used.

## Treatment of Hardwood

IN THESE DAYS of polished wood stairs and hallways it is almost impossible, even with frequent polishing, to keep the wood from getting black. This is because the dust and dirt catches in the wax, and fresh rubbing only buries it deeper.

A good scrubbing with soap powder every month will remove the dirt, and it may be scrubbed just as energetically as the plainest of kitchen floors. Then, when the wax is applied with the aid of the usual heavy polish, the color of the wood will have returned in all the glory of its first days.

## The Care of Tiling

THE home of tiling is Italy. There it is used for hallways, dining rooms or bedrooms, and always it is in perfect condition, shining, smooth, and unspotted, as it should be. Inquiry brought forth the information that soap and water are never used, but linseed oil and turpentine are mixed and applied frequently with a stiff brush. This dry, the floors are polished with wax.

The Italian tiling is mostly the mosaic work on a coarser scale, or else concrete, and the secret of taking care of it is well worth knowing.

## PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY.

The following answer was recently given in a geography examination, in reply to the question, From what direction do most of our rains come?

Most of our rains come straight down, but some of them come sideways.

There are no pictures or adornments at the farm. Neither art nor music appears to the followers of the Old Paths to contribute to the glory of God, which can only be showed forth by the purity of living. Even the glories of nature seem to them to be almost a curse.

"You have beautiful country all around you," the interviewer said.

"Yes," he replied, without enthusiasm, "we recognize the work of the Almighty, but there is the danger of worshipping nature instead of the God of nature. We must guard against that."

Bible Christians take no part in politics, which, being concerned entirely with the things of this world, are unworthy of their attentions. They are serious folk, holding that all amusements which can be classed under the head of "foolish jesting" are "not convenient." Their seriousness has its root, however, not in anxiety about the state of mankind here on earth, but in seeking to fit themselves for the Kingdom of Heaven.

## BELONG TO "ELECT."

They are, indeed, convinced that the present "mad worship of comfort and pleasure and wealth" must grow much worse before it can become any better. They do not believe that Christ will appear until after the "Great Apostasy," until the Anti-Christ, the Man of Sin, has drawn unto him all but the small number of the elect. In this they differ from the Plymouth Brethren, who look for the second coming at any moment.

Another point of difference lies in their attitude towards "formalities." They do not hold any regular service. They exhort and encourage one another at all hours of the day, whenever there happens to be two or three together—at meal-times or as they work in the fields. Sunday to them is like any other day. They regard the fourth commandment as having been superseded by the message of Christ, and they fail to find any teaching of his in favor of keeping holy the first day of the week.

## PLEASANT FOR JAMES.

When Mr. Ransom won his bride he felt properly humble at securing such a prize, and in the after years Mrs. Ransom never allowed him to lapse into forgetfulness of her condescension.

"You really cared for me, I'm sure," said Mr. Ransom. "That is a great comfort—to think I didn't urge you against your wishes."

"James," said Mrs. Ransom, in a tone suited to her imposing and somewhat massive appearance, "how could you ever doubt my affection? Have I not told you that I had proposals from men who were brilliant, handsome and talented, and passing them all by, James, I chose you!"

## WOODEN-HEADED.

The prosecuting counsel had been very scathing in his treatment of the witnesses for the defence. So much so that one of these, a young doctor, determined to retaliate.

"You claim to be acquainted with the various symptoms attending concussion of the brain?" asked the lawyer. "I do."

"We will take a concrete case," continued the counsel. "If my learned friend, counsel for the defence, and myself were to bang our heads together, should we get concussion of the brain?"

The young physician smiled slightly. "The probabilities are," he replied, "that counsel for the defence would."

## LEAP YEAR'S HERE.

Magistrate (to witness)—What is your name?

Witness—Annie Struhmeyer.

Magistrate—How old are you?

Witness—Sixty-four.

Magistrate—Married?

Witness—Not yet.

## FAMILY MEALS FOR A WEEK

INSTEAD of the menus usually prepared by myself under the above heading, I offer this week a set supplied by a member of our Exchange, who maintains that all the dishes herein called for may be put upon the table at an expense not exceeding \$3.50. It is an interesting and curious question, to be decided by our readers who are practical housemothers. Be it remembered that the provision is for two persons.

### MONDAY

#### BREAKFAST.

Fruit, cereal, eggs, toast, coffee. (Three for breakfast today.)

#### LUNCHEON.

Bread and butter, cold meat, cheese, fruit, pie, tea.

#### DINNER.

Meat omelet, potatoes, cabbage, cornstarch pudding, bread and butter, tea.

### TUESDAY

#### BREAKFAST.

Cereal, fruit, eggs, warmed-up potatoes, cookies, bread and butter, coffee. (Two friends to breakfast.)

#### LUNCHEON.

Cheese, bread and butter, cornstarch pudding, bananas, apple pie, tea.

#### DINNER.

Round steak, potatoes, cabbage, celery, berries, bread and butter, tea. (Three friends to dinner.)

### WEDNESDAY

#### BREAKFAST.

Cereal, eggs, potatoes, celery, bananas, cookies, bread and butter, coffee. (Three friends to breakfast.)

#### LUNCHEON.

Cold meat, cheese, pie, tart, bananas, tea, bread and butter.

#### DINNER.

Creamed salmon, potato salad, apple sauce, rice pudding, hot biscuits, bread and butter, tea.

### THURSDAY

#### BREAKFAST.

Cereal, apple sauce, bread and butter, coffee.

#### LUNCHEON.

Boiled eggs, cheese, rice pudding, pie, bread and butter, tea.

#### DINNER.

Steak, tomatoes, potatoes, canned peaches, bread and butter, tea.

### FRIDAY

#### BREAKFAST.

Cereal, fruit, bread and butter, coffee.

#### LUNCHEON.

Boiled eggs, fruit, pie, bread and butter, tea.

#### DINNER.

Salmon with rice, potatoes, onions, fruit, bread and butter, tea.

### SATURDAY

#### BREAKFAST.

Fruit, cereal, eggs, toast, bread and butter, tea.

### LUNCHEON.

Omelet, baked potatoes, bread and butter, apple sauce, tea.

#### DINNER.

Meat and potato stew, coldsaw, bread and butter, bread pudding, tea.

#### EXPENSE OF THE FOREGOING.

Milk, 35 cents; bread, 25; meat, 61; salmon, 15; eggs, 50; sugar, 24; cocoa, 10; celery, 9; four onions, 1; tomatoes, 8; cabbage, 5; cereal, 10; cornstarch, 5; bananas, 14; berries, 12; apples, 18; peaches, 30; half a pound of coffee, 15; butter, 25. Total, \$3.50.

I offer but one comment upon menus that may, or may not, impress other women as they impress me, and which should be carefully inspected by any John who may take the trouble to read them, before he jumps to the conclusion that he would be content with the fare herein indicated, also that his wife ought to be able to set her table for twenty cents less than the famous \$4 per week.

My observation is that I do not comprehend how our frugal manager can bring table expenses within the stated sum and have pie five times in one week—not to mention that she had in the same time nine guests who sat down to her hospitable board.

# Our Paris Letter

PARIS, Feb. 23.

THE weather here has taken on a hint of spring and the feminine mind of the Parisienne is greatly agitated over the modes for the "demi-saison"; for what is more difficult to decide than costumes for this time, when the weather is unsettled and the fashions are as yet but arranging themselves in the thoughts of the great couturiers?

The burning question at the present is the tunic, which held its place of vantage for so short a moment and has now given place to the skin-tight skirt for afternoon and the extremely simple little "trotteurs" for the morning.

"On dit," that it must be but a passing fad that afternoon dresses and "pantalons" cannot remain popular for summer costumes and only the very slightest women can attempt to wear them with success anyway; but here it is, this snaky skirt, while in even the fine overskirts the trimming and bias bands, instead of dipping in front, are sloped to the back.

Happily the extravagantly large hat has become "de mode," and the toque is reigning favorite. White swans-down and marabout are the latest fancy, for they may be worn till late spring, while fur must be discarded earlier. Military fashions are returning—the dashing hussar aligrettes, the military collar, the heavy brass buttons, the stiff braided vest.

With the departure of the "cloche" hat the hair dressing has returned to its former state of comparative plainness. Even side partings are "comme il faut" and the irrelevant curls so much the rage are no longer seen. The peasants may keep their hair.

In fact, the great extravagance has brought about a return to great simplicity. Frenchwomen no longer disfigure their feet with the long-toed shoes of two months ago, but again adopt the natural size. Smartest boots have tops of antelope or suede and patent leather vamps, while stockings are worn to match the tops.

A gown recently seen, destined for an afternoon reception at the Elysee Palace, was of soft fawn-colored chiffon velvet, the skirt long, plain and very tight; the corsage, high-belted, of course, was composed of silk flet lace insertion in the same shade over white and bands of fawn velvet embroidered with silver thread. The enveloping dash of liberty satin the girle d'Amee, was attached upon the side according to the latest fashion and fell in one end fringed with silver.

With this creation was worn a Mag-

yar toque of fawn velvet adorned with a full hussar aligrette in tones of brown, caught at the left side with a small rhinestone buckle. ELOISE.

The costume described above would be ideal when made up in volle, for the season is now too late for velvet. The silver embroidery could then be well omitted and darned net could take the place of the flet lace. It is now too late to indulge in such toques as velvet or marabout, but some charming hats may be made of net, and stray toques are increasing in popularity every day.

The Hungarian aligrettes are not those feathery affairs popular for so long; they are much stiffer and heavier, and are far neater than the fancy plumes recently worn.

American women never did take up the fashion of wearing shoes three sizes too large, but the colored tops for patent leather boots are extensively worn, and they are really most attractive when the cloth matches the suit. However, the women of France never at any season wear the half shoes that we adopt so early in the spring, and it is for this reason that the cloth tops will never become universal in this country, for we, with our pumps, wear any shade stopping that suits our fancy.

## New Girdles

MOST of the new high belts are finished in one long end with a tassel. This idea is carried out even in morning dresses, volle or pongee, and is becoming to the average figure, particularly as the new semi-princess dress is so much the rage. The belt at present is not fastened directly around the waist line, but slightly above it to give the skirt a very long line in front and on the sides.

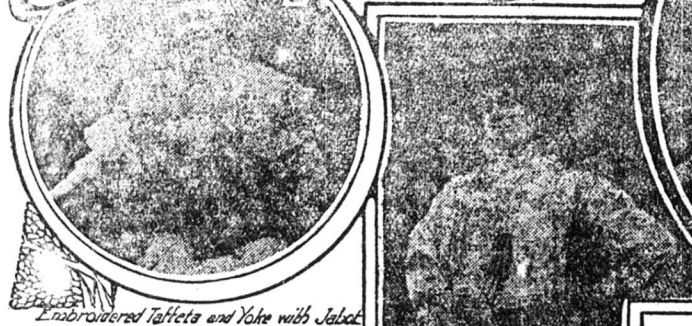
Some dresses of light materials are finished in front directly below the gump in a large bow of the material. This is not unattractive for very slim figures, for it adds several inches to the bust measure. There will be, owing to the present increasing popularity of the gump waist, a decided leaning toward the very low line of the corsage, for it is becoming to every woman, and the gump will add whatever is necessary for the sake of modesty. Decolletage, however, can be overdone, and those who wish to keep the pretty gump in vogue must do all they can to see that it is not abused, for a peculiar thing about fashions is that the moment any one line is overdone a reaction is sure to come.



## Colors on Lingerie Dresses

THE new white dresses shown in the shops have some touch of color in embroidery or lace, but the all-over embroidery coats trimmed with lace are pure white. These are very useful to wear in the late afternoon, and, while they could not be accused of being warm, they do add a certain air of dressiness to the toilet.

## Blouses with Sabot Trimming



Embroidered Taffeta and Yoke with Sabot

Violet Chiffon and Valenciennes Lace

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## Odd Combination in Spring Suits

WHITE, that beautiful and always becoming color, has gone out of fashion, for in the new cloths shown for early spring stripes and huge embroidery dots have taken its place, and even white linen suits will not be worn this year. Of course all of the suits such as have been worn will be discarded for dresses with gumpes and cuffs of white lace and Eton jackets of some contrasting color or material. Thus a white flannel skirt will be worn with a striped three-quarter jacket, or a blue-and-white stripe linen semi-princess dress will be finished with a coat of dark blue. This new fashion will be very convenient for those who wish to wear the same coat with several dresses, but it is not so becoming as the white of last year.

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THE newest blouses are made of every conceivable shade and material—chiffon, silk, satin, fillet net—and all of them have introduced somewhere in the decorations the omnipresent fall of lace or material named in Paris the jabot.

A blouse of violet chiffon is finished in front in three deep tucks, which at both sides of the front breadth is bound in satin and the jabot of lace is introduced. The same idea is carried out in the undersleeves, while the yoke of the blouse is made of the lace used to make the jabots.

A blouse of blue chiffon taffeta is trimmed with fillet net, covered with a design in bands of silk, while the linen underblouse is fastened from neck to waist with a jabot. It gives the same effect as the ruffled white blouse of just a year ago, except that the middle pleat on this new creation is but one-half inch wide. In speaking of last year, both the jumper and ruffled blouse are combined in these latest waists, which is shown by the last illustration. This is made of white taffeta, heavily embroidered in white silk flowers, while a band of net, covered with orchids, holds the shoulder strap together at the front. This shows the jabot in the ruffle of the underblouse, while the tiny buttons used down the front are covered with taffeta and finished around the edge with a frill of lace.

#### SIMPLIFIED MODELS

All of the elaborate blouses of the illustration are beyond the power of the home dressmaker. But a little ingenuity can accomplish wonders, and a reproduction of model garments does not necessitate an exact copy in materials. The design of any of these blouses may be carried out in cotton, particularly the one trimmed with embroidery. This waist would be charming made of dotted veils, the wide bands of the shoulders done in white embroidered linen. The raching down the front is for sale in any shop at little cost.

The other two may be made in dimity or lawn—in fact, flowered dimity would be a charming blinding for the blue waist—and Valenciennes lace is not an expensive article.

The violet waist is really designed for China silk, and ponceau ribbon might be used as a trimming, making the un-



Blue Silk with Yoke of Laces

derblouse of lawn. Fillet net, too, might be used for the foundation of any of the waists.

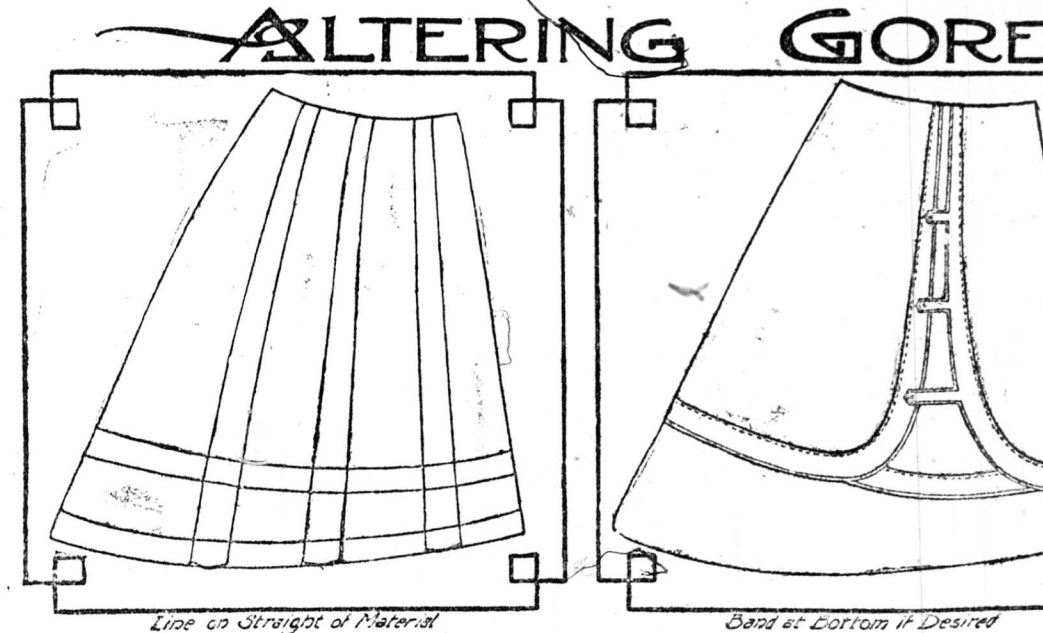
#### Violet Chiffon and Valenciennes Lace

Few women realize what really beautiful effects may be obtained by using Hamburg or machine embroidery. The only important point is to see that the material for the foundation is fine and of good quality.

Of course no one can expect to use any of this year's models unless one is willing to do most of the sewing by hand, for this is the one little detail that makes a blouse.

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Some suits are made of the natural pongee, with the skirts of the plain material, while the coats are Eton shape, embroidered by hand in large black dots. The same idea can be carried out in suits of voile, or even mohair, and, at least, if the fashion is peculiar, it is new and smart.



Line on Straight of Material

Band at Bottom if Desired

NOW that circular skirts have returned with such force to popular favor, those women who have suits and dresses made with the ordinary gored skirts, mean, "What shall we do?" they cry. "This suit is too good to throw away, yet how can I disguise these awful seams?"

Three models to hide the old-fashioned seams are shown today, each of them requires the additional purchase of the minimum of material. All of these allow for a circular ruffle.

In the first model the seams are ripped, the breadth nearest the front is turned, two pleats are made of new material and set in, and all are stitched to the hip line. If a circular ruffle finishes the skirt, graduated bands of braid may be used to hide the joining; but the straight lines look better without any break between them, so the second method may be used to better advantage. In this false box pleats of new material, made with the straight of the goods, are laid over the seams and false tucks are made on the hem of the ruffle and around the bot-

tom. This method enables the skirt also to be lengthened both at the bottom and at the top of the ruffle.

A panel effect is added by false tucks beginning close together at the waist line and extending to a curve around the line of the ruffle. The little straps may be added across the front if desired; also the braid around the skirt.

In all of the models shown new material is required. If it is impossible to match the old skirt, then some other material may be used, providing it is of the same shade. For instance, in the

## RAILWAYS DEATH TOLL

ONE PASSENGER KILLED FOR EVERY 459,104 CARRIED.

Broken Rails and Level Crossings Chief Causes for Accidents in Canada.

During 1907 there were 587 persons killed and 1,798 injured on the railways of Canada. This is the largest number in the history of Canada. Of the total number 69 were killed and 69 injured on level crossings. This also sets the record. Of the total number killed 10 were passengers and 490 employees. Of the total number injured 352 were passengers and 1,446 were employees.

With respect to passengers 26 were killed and 93 injured in collisions, 21 were killed and 127 injured by derailments and 10 were killed and 38 injured by jumping on or off trains. Forty-six employees were killed and 135 injured by collisions and 12 killed and 56 injured by derailments.

Of trespassers on the railway tracks, such as tramps, etc., 185 were killed and every 459,104 carried, as compared with one killed for every 1,749,361 carried in 1906. One passenger in every 91,299 was injured, as compared with one in every 751,168 during the preceding year. In addition to the foregoing, eleven shopmen and other employees not engaged in the actual work of operation were killed and 454 were injured, bringing the total up to 568 persons killed and 2,152 injured.

In connection with the killing of 31 persons during the year in coupling or uncoupling cars, and the injuring of 141 employees from this cause, the report notes that the number of fatalities last year was more than three times the average rate for any ten years before the present system of automatic coupler was introduced.

#### TORONTO'S FATAL RECORD.

Then, 600, 71 persons were killed and 1,736 injured on the 814 miles of electric railway in the country. Of the total fatalities twenty-two occurred in Montreal and twenty in Toronto. Not a single passenger was killed in Montreal, while nine lost their lives in Toronto. Of non-fatal accidents, many of which were of a minor character, 490 occurred in Montreal, and 606 in Toronto.

The gross earnings on the electric lines were \$12,630,430, showing a betterment of \$1,163,559 over those of the preceding year. The proportion of operating expenses to gross earnings was 61.25. The total number of passengers carried was 273,993,404, a gain of 36,344,330 over 1906.

Twenty-eight railways show an average passenger charge of 2.232 cents per mile. Four railways, whose passenger revenue represents 71 per cent. of the total, for the year return a rate of 2.07 cents. The five principal railways, representing 73 per cent. of the total freight earnings, show an average rate of 7.02 cents per ton per mile.

#### COMPETITION KILLS.

On the subject of bad rails, the report says: "The matter was taken up quite comprehensively at the meeting of the Canadian Society of Engineers in May last. The fact was brought out during

the discussion that in the year 1906 on three railways 537 rails had broken, of which 439 had been in service for one year and under. The character of the Canadian ores was alluded to as one of the difficulties encountered by our own manufacturers, but there was a consensus of judgment that here, as in the United States, the fundamental trouble had grown out of keen competition on one hand and pressure upon the mills on the other. These things have led to the economizing of labor to a degree which has meant poor and defective rails. That, however, is bad economy which leads to the wasting of human lives and valuable property. The killing of 35 persons and the injury of 287 by derailments may in some degree have been the price which Canadians paid last year for hasty and imperfect production of steel rails."

#### TO SAFEGUARD LIFE.

Steps urged to increase the safety of travel include the introduction of a thoroughly tested block system, closer inspection of new rails, roadbed and equipment, and a stricter holding to account of those responsible for mistakes resulting in railway accidents. The money waste involved in railway accidents during the year reached the high total of \$1,961,970, including \$642,248 for injuries to persons.

#### HIGHEST MILEAGE.

The total railway mileage of the country, including double tracks, sidings, etc., is placed at 27,611 miles. The addition during the year was 1,099 miles, not including 324 miles of new double-track. Of the total mileage Ontario has 7,637 miles, Quebec 3,515, and Manitoba 3,074. Canada has one mile of railway for every 289 inhabitants, and every 161

square miles of area—the highest mileage measured against population and the lowest measured against territory of nearly all countries of the world.

#### OVER A BILLION INVESTED.

The total capital invested in Canadian railways is placed at \$1,171,937,808. The total net earnings were \$2,989,537, representing a rate of 3.06 per cent. on the total investment. The capitalization averages \$56,995 per mile.

Traffic during 1907 showed substantial gains over the preceding year. In freight there was an increase of 5,899,422 tons, and passengers carried increased by 4,147,537. The total number of passengers carried was 23,137,319, and the total number of tons of freight was 63,866,135.

The total earnings of the year were \$146,728,214, representing an increase of \$21,415,349, or 17.09 per cent. over 1906. Operating expenses amounted to \$163,748,672, an increase of 19.07 per cent. The proportion of operating expenses to earnings was 70.70 per cent.

#### ONE-TWENTIETH.

The number of persons in the employ of Canadian railways during the year 1907 was 124,012, and the total amount paid during the year in salaries and wages was \$58,719,493. It is estimated that quite seventy per cent. of the whole population of Canada win their daily bread from the carrying trade in all its various branches.

Agnes—"Mr. Skowe is horrid! He asked me for a kiss the other evening, and, of course, I said 'No.'" Gladys—"What did he do then?" Agnes—"Why—he didn't do anything."

# Children's Coats and Frocks From Paris

THE French modistes are particularly clever in designing suits for little girls that will carry out the idea shown in the reigning fashion, and they still maintain that simplicity of line necessary and appropriate for little tots. In the illustration shown today the single-breasted cut-away jacket, the pleated skirts, the panel fronts, the long shoulder line and the button trimmings are all shown, but adapted to the size and age of the little wearer.

A smart little suit of white or scarlet serge is fastened down the front with

three brass buttons, and is cut with a round hem at the bottom of the coat. The skirt is side pleated and the jacket is trimmed with a narrow soutache braid. The white hat is simply adorned with a bow of ribbon to match the suit.

A more dressy little frock is that of light blue linen, with a guimpe of batiste or allover embroidery. It is, in spite of its appearance, very easy to make, and the result is charming. The linen hat is finished with a draped crown to match the little dress.

A suit of plaid and navy blue chevrot is cut in quite the latest style, whether

for mother or big sister. It is made with a very long-waisted effect, and the loose coat is trimmed with small brass buttons. The plaid is of shaded blues, and the cuffs and collar of the jacket are finished in bright green velvet. The plain hat intended to wear with the suit is trimmed with velvet to match the collar.

A pink linen with the minkade sleeves and pearl buttons from shoulder to hem is worn with collar and undersleeves of baby Irish lace. The front of the skirt is finished in a box pleat with the belt at each side, so that the front line is unbroken. This dress is a fascinating design for quite a little girl, and the white canvas hat, with a knot of soft pink ribbon, gives a complete look to the costume.

All of the models given are very simple, and the two little dresses are just enough modification of a Russian blouse to make a distinction between frocks for little boys and girls. Instead of using allover embroidery and lace for the guimpes, they may be batiste or tucked handkerchief linen, and if pearl buttons are not used, wooden forms covered with scraps of the dress material may take their place.

The little white suit would be most attractive if made up in some darker fabric, and it would then be far more serviceable, while stitched bands of itself might be substituted for soutache braiding.

The little plaid dress would be a most attractive style for a checked gingham jumper, to be worn with a keeler of blue serge, with collar and cuffs of the same.

Hats for children of this size are most useful when made of canvas and lined with linen to match the suit. For that matter, the hat may be all white, with only a change in trimming, a bow or a knot to match each costume of the wardrobe.



## Huge Designs in Vogue for Spring

FLOWERS for the spring hats are of the most enormous size—huge roses and unnatural morning-glories—while even pansies have a forced look to which the real flowers never attain.

It is a most remarkable reversion to hats of some time ago. Such modest blossoms as forget-me-nots, rosebuds and violets will find no place in the fashions of the year, but calla lilies, Easter lilies and hydrangeas will be in great demand.

This same mammoth taste also seems to have influenced the designs of foulards and chiffons, for the season's designs are out of proportion—gigantic, in fact. The little old-fashioned prints have given place to huge bunches of orchids and sunflowers. It

## IN MERRY OLD ENGLAND

NEWS BY MAIL ABOUT JOHN BULL AND HIS PEOPLE.

Occurrences in the Land That Reigns Supreme in the Commercial World.

Grosvenor square, London, is to be paved with wood this year.

Eleven bullocks were roasted to death in a farm fire at Edgingthorpe, Norfolk.

Derbyshire churchmen have presented the Bishop of Southwell with a motor car.

Lord Brassey will be installed at Dover as Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports in May.

A thousand chickens have been destroyed in an incubator fire at Vassall road, Brixton.

Mr. Warale, M. P., will introduce a bill into the House limiting the working day to eight hours.

The Marconi Telegraph Company is now accepting messages for Canada at a rate of 16c per word.

Charles de Gurchy, who claims to be a descendant of Napoleon, was sentenced at Leeds for begging.

It is intimated from the War Office that mounted infantry will not form part of the territorial force.

Sir S. T. Evans, the new Solicitor-General, is to be presented with the freedom of the borough of Swansea.

Five men have been arrested at Chatham in connection with extensive pocket-picking on football grounds.

A stag, hunted by the Mid-Kent pack, entered a public house. It was secured by the landlord and his customers.

Since its formation in 1884 the Self-Help Emigration Society has emigrated over 10,000 persons, mainly to Canada.

Pictures painted by convicts while undergoing terms of imprisonment are to be seen in Wormwood Scrubs Prison.

Sarah Fiskien, an old rag picker, died in destitution at Bristol last week. She was found to have a bond of £80.

At a wedding on Southend-on-Sea recently the party on leaving the church passed under an arch of fishing rods.

When the Rochester barge Ryan was off Woolwich the wife of the skipper gave birth to triplets—two boys and a girl.

An alarming outbreak of measles has occurred at Halstead. At the British school nearly 400 school children are attacked.

A fox chased by a number of Rappin boys through the village, was finally bagged in a Sunday school, to the great terror of the children.

Alexander Fife, who died recently in Wandsworth prison, aged 80, had been an inmate of prison and workhouses for the last fifty years.

A tramp was recently found in an East Ham church. He had made his bed under the communion table, using the cushions from the seats.

Twenty-three boys and fifteen girls have asked to join the party of poor law emigrants which is being sent to Canada by the Lambeth guardians.

As there is one license to every 118 inhabitants in the Llangollen urban area the licensing justices declined to renew 25 per cent. of the licenses.

The three rare American prong-horned antelopes which President Roosevelt has presented to the Zoological Society arrived at Regent's Park.

Having shut up his folding bed, a Heckmondwike father discovered 20 minutes later that his wife had left the child in it. The child was suffocated.

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A costume for spring garden parties is composed of a small toque trimmed all round with huge sunflowers and a fluet net dress with a huge design of becoming Easter lilies, embroidered

in heavy white floss. It looks at a distance like a costume for a giantess, but when worn the effect is original, and good.



## Evening Gowns

SO MANY of the new evening dresses show the influence of the postilion jacket that it has become a very important thing to have lace drapery around the back and hips. The jacket runs over the shoulders and down both sides of the figure almost close to the armholes. It necessitates all of the evening dresses being made with a square neck.

The dresses under the jackets are made princess, but many of them hang quite loose in front, and are only held close to the figure by a gold braided belt fastened each side of the jacket and tied in a knot in front, allowing the ends to hang to the knees. To give the necessary severe line and breadth to the shoulders, folds of velvet are used, which curve from the waist line in back to the waist line in front.

These bretelles are sometimes as wide as eight inches, so that they give breadth to the shoulders and that small appearance to the waist that the clumsy folds of the lace coat almost obliterate.

## Melon Bonnets

BABY caps for spring are made of three pieces, cut like the sides of a circular triangle and sewn together with a fancy stitch or a strip of lace insertion. Sometimes the sections over the face and at the back of the neck are made of dotted swiss, while the middle section is of baby Irish lace. In other caps all three sections are of fine nainsook, but the middle section is heavily embroidered. This new style is very becoming to the baby's head, and brings the joining of the sections just behind the ear, so that whatever lace is used as trimming will converge toward this point.

A very attractive cap may be made of all-over embroidery, using Valenciennes insertion between the sections; and for very plain bonnets pink linen may be used, with a little hand embroidery around the face. This cap is known as a melon bonnet, and bids fair to become the reigning favorite in juvenile fashions.

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The Emperor of Austria and many foreign princes are on the subscription list for the Benedictine Abbey Church which is to be built at East Dulwich. Shoreditch has a larger number of unemployed than ever before, 749 having their names on the labor bureau register, as against 722 for the whole of last year.

## THE WINDS OF THE WORLD.

### Fight Between the Monsoons—Local Breezes and Their Effects.

Being credibly informed the other day by a queer old man of the seafaring persuasion that the southeast monsoon was still fighting the northeast monsoon to see which would conquer, and the information being followed by a dissertation on the failure of the last sea sports owing to the same pervisit of a veteran lagging superfluous on the stage when he ought to have left the boards empty for the keen northeaster, it occurred to me that there was a considerable amount of information to be obtained about winds without discoursing on windiness, says a writer in the Singapore Free Press.

Until one actually experiences it there is a lot of romance hanging around the outskirts of the word monsoon. We speak of the monsoon being late or early, of the Last coast being practically closed, but unless we go down to the sea in ships the wind affects us but little. In the great continents of India and Australia, however, the breaking of the rains is a matter of real moment, of general interest to every one, of painful and keenest anxiety to many, and in such cases the word is fraught with a meaning which is greater than ever book conveyed to the mind of man.

Apart from the winds of regular habit there are the many local winds which occur in different parts of the world and are generally unkind in character. Of such may be mentioned the Simoon, Sirocco, Harmattan, the Puna of Peru, the bitter northeaster of Britain, the Mistral of Marseilles and that coast, the Pampero of the Andes. With all these local breezes, though in fact they are oftentimes gales of some velocity, many curious effects are coupled, and one of the most noticeable of these is that the blowing of the genuine nor'easter at home is always coincident with the greatest number of deaths from consumption and brain disease.

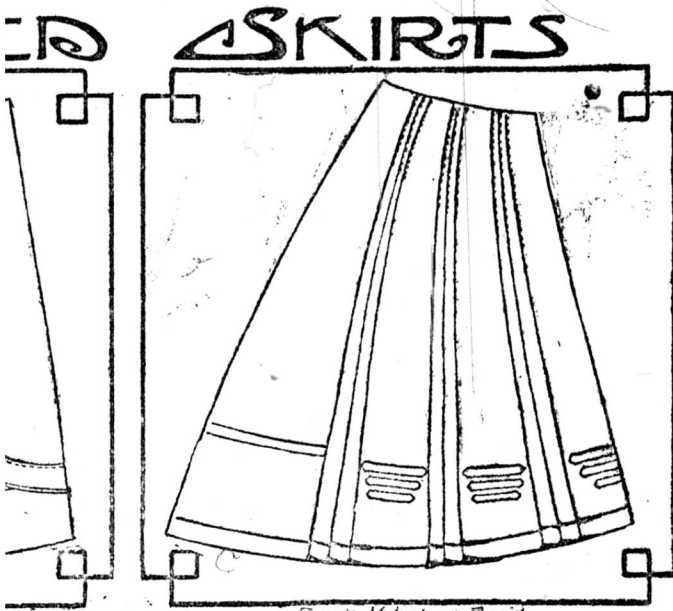
There is here opened up a wide field of most interesting research for the curious in weather study and humanity lore, for the effect of wind on sentient beings has never been as deeply considered as it might be. Thus in the lower planes of life the animals are distinctly affected by winds, and in particular cats, as any one will remember if they consider the peculiarities of cats when high winds are blowing. Cattle, too, are susceptible to winds, and possibly more to the premonition of wind, while the blowing of a nor'wester will exhilarate some temperaments in a manner not quite the same as anything else will.

## PAID BACK.

A man at an hotel in a loud tone of voice called his friend back just as he was leaving the dining-room, and then whispered to him: "How far would you have got if I hadn't called you back?" The other, straightening himself up, replied, in a tone loud enough for all to hear: "No, sir, I won't lend you \$5; I haven't got it on me, and if I had I wouldn't let you have it until you have paid me what you borrowed two months ago."

His friend will never call him back in a public dining-room again.

"And do you have to be called in the morning?" asked the lady who was about to engage a new girl. "I don't have to be, mum," replied the applicant, "unless you happens to want me!"



Bands Velvet or Braid

first model broadcloth may be used to alter the velvet skirt, or even pleats of taffeta.

In the second, if it is impossible to secure material to exactly match that of the skirt, some other variety may be used in its place.

The third model should be altered with material to match, otherwise the false tucks would look out of place.

Of course, in the question of an evening dress lace or chiffon may always take the place of the dress material. As for the lines of the skirt, the first

and second models are most appropriate for small women, while the third model would have the effect of shortening the figure and is therefore only desirable for a tall woman or a woman of average height. The bands added at the foot of the skirt may be used to lengthen the back, for in some cases last year's dresses were not as long as the skirts of the latest style.

Three other models will be shown next week suggesting ways of altering gored skirts without requiring material to match.

## CRANKS OF MANY KINDS

### ONE IN LONDON WHO THROWS INK ON DAINTY SKIRTS.

### Woman Snatched Hats From Window-Gazers' Heads—Man Cut Girls' Boots.

#### Boots.

What possible fun anyone can find in destroying other people's property, or causing them needless annoyance, it is hard to conceive. But the fact remains that there are twisted intellects of this kind—ape-like humans, whose aim in life is to commit some particular form of mischief, always unpleasant and sometimes dangerous.

Jack the Inkman, who has lately been working his wicked will in the West End of London, is one of these. He seems to bear a particular grudge against ladies who wear white or light-colored dresses. No one knows who he is or how he does it, but as many as six women have complained to the police in one day of finding their dainty skirts splashed and ruined with great gouts of black ink.

Four years ago—to be exact, in November, 1903—a crank with a similar malicious mania ran amok in Metz, Germany. No fewer than seventeen dresses were spoilt in a week. One evening Frau Lange, wife of a military surgeon, was walking home, when she saw a man mending a bicycle. As she passed she thought that something touched her in the back. But when she turned

### THE MAN WAS RIDING AWAY.

A policeman ran up, and shouting to her that her back was soaked with ink, rushed after the fugitive, but failed to catch him. Later the police arrested a suspect, and found in his house a number of bottles of ink and small syringes. Most unluckily, none of his victims could identify him, so he was released.

Another London terror—who has, fortunately for her victims, not been seen of late—was the frenzied woman who haunted the pavement outside fashionable shops and snatched hats from the heads of unsuspecting window-gazers. This woman is described as small and pale, and dressed in black. She was astonishingly rapid in her performances. In every case the hat was torn from its upon the pavement before the victim well knew what had happened.

Leytonstone had a most unpleasant freak in the shape of

### "JACK THE CLIPPER."

A short, dark man with a hooked nose and a black mous'ache, he was dreaded by young girls who wore their hair down their backs. He would creep up behind, and with one sweep of a keen blade slash the pigtail off, and decamp at full speed. He, too, was never caught.

About the same time that the bonnet-smasher appeared in West London, city shopkeepers—and especially those around St. Paul's—suffered much from a crazy window-scratcher. This was a woman who, provided with a glass-cutter, actually cut pieces out of the panes. It was not for purposes of theft, simply for pure mischief.

There was a regular scare in Portsmouth in 1901, caused by a series of most extraordinary and pointless outrages. The victims were all little girls. The assailant, an elderly man, would tell the child that her bootlace was undone and when she stooped to look, suddenly draw a sharp knife across the toe of the boot, and run away. Between ten and fifteen children had their boots destroyed, and in two cases nasty cuts were made on the foot. The last outrage was committed at Southsea, when a girl of sixteen had her foot badly cut. Do what they would, the police could not capture

### THE ELUSIVE FOOT-CUTTER.

Railways often suffer from crimes of this description. No longer ago than January last a regular panic was caused in the Mansfield district of Nottinghamshire by a crazy tramp, whose one idea was to pile all sorts of obstructions upon the line. His last performance was to lay a five-barred gate across the rails at Kirkby. He was caught at this, and will trouble the company and the public no more.

Sometimes a mania of this kind ends in disaster to the lunatic. There was an American named William Tucker, whose hobby was to walk along the permanent-way in front of trains, and make the drivers whistle furiously to drive him off the track. While he was playing this prank near Vineland, New Jersey, the train caught him, and flung him forty feet down an embankment. —Pearson's Weekly.

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### Foster in Three Acts.

Mr. Foster's position during the proceedings may be described in three parts:

First—He accused the Minister of Marine and Fisheries of stealing from a vote.

Secondly—He made a full and frank apology for having done so, and withdrew the words.

Thirdly—He was shown to have been guilty when in office of the very same offence which he characterized as stealing.

The main object of the Opposition was obstruction. This obstruction had to be based upon something, and this is how it was done: Mr. Foster charged the minister with taking money from a certain vote and using it for another purpose. He used these words:

### Foster's Charge of Theft.

"I ask any minister of the Crown whether he recommends that as a policy to be pursued. Such a policy strikes at the very root of parliamentary appropriations. The Minister had no right to steal from another vote.

Then again Mr. Foster enlarged upon this and said:

"I took the ground that the language of a vote indicated to what purpose the money was to be put, and said that it was not proper to take \$4,000 or \$5,000 voted by Parliament for ice-breaking steamers and use it to pay the travelling expenses of the minister and his private secretary. I said, in effect, that that was filching from one vote to meet the expenses of a different service. It was stealing from one vote and using the money for a purpose not designed by Parliament.

### Foster's Apology.

Having based obstruction upon the ground that the minister had stolen money from a vote, Mr. Foster was confronted with a case in which he had done the very thing charged particulars of which will be found below. Mr. Foster was thereupon compelled to withdraw the offensive words and apologize to the minister which he did in these terms:

"But I am frank to say that I might have used a word which would be less offensive than the word 'steal.' I might have used the word 'transferred.' But the meaning I had was exactly the same meaning as if I had used the word 'transferred,' from one vote and used the money for a purpose distinctly not provided. If the Minister objects to it, I will take it back frankly and fully. Looking at it, now that it is in print, it does appear to be a little too strong. If I were to go over it again after cool moments I would say 'transferred' instead of 'steal.'

But my honorable friend knows that I did not use the word in the offensive sense of taking the money for his own uses out of a vote, but of taking a sum of money directed to one vote, and applying it to another—appropriating it wrongly. I am willing to stand to my statement, but to offer an apology for a too strong word."

### Foster's Dirty Record.

It has been remarked that Mr. Foster never deals in scandal but what discussion proves that he has been mixed up in some dirty deal or other. He never attacks a department but what it transpires that he was formerly tangled up in a disreputable affair. He never alleges grafting but it appears that he has filled the role of grafter. He never charges illegal use of public funds, but it appears that he figures promptly as a speculator and gambler in trust funds contrary to law.

He charged that Liberals used their influence as members of Parliament to

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ality appeared to have shrunk to half its normal size, and in a voice hoarse with chagrin at being discovered, and passionate in consequence of the exposure, he gave to the House the following pitiable sentences. He would have denied, but the record confronted him, he would have temporized but his accusers were before him, stern, inexorable and pitiless.

Said Foster: "In 1892, under the stress of circumstances, having no surplus, I was obliged for the time being to take a small amount of money out of one vote and apply it to a different purpose. I declare now that this is not a proper method of treating appropriations. I stand absolutely upon that ground. I am much older now than I was then. The act, although it was not a criminal one, might have been done in a very different way, and I am quite prepared to say that in the years that have passed between 1892 and this I have taken a step forward. But I am not going to allow the Minister of Marine and Fisheries to get me to defend even in my own action of ten or fifteen years ago, what I think now to be wrong and what I have condemned in him. I hope I am wiser than I was then."

### Collapse of Obstruction.

This was the humiliating spectacle presented at the end of obstruction lasting three days and nights. Foster making an object confession of having taken money from one vote of using it for another purpose. It was in consequence of a charge of doing this same thing made against the Minister of

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# POLITICAL NEWS!

The obstruction to the public business of the country by the Conservatives in the House reached a climax last week. From Thursday, at 3 p.m., until midnight Saturday, the House was kept in continuous session.

The estimates of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries were before the House, and not one item was allowed to pass. The Opposition, under the leadership of Mr. Foster, passed the time away reading from blue books and making inappropriate comments upon same, varying the monotony by alleging dishonesty on the part of the minister; but, although repeatedly invited to do so, no man dared make a definite charge.

## What Obstructionists Did.

This is the way the matter stands, Mr. Foster, taking advantage of the absence of his leader, Mr. Borden, organized a deliberate system of obstruction to the business of the House. At the moment the estimates of Marine and Fisheries being under discussion, they provided the object of attack. The inherent weakness and lack of ability in the Opposition was never demonstrated to better advantage. Hour after hour Opposition members arose and occupied the time of the House by reading Government reports, and they did not read them well. There was not a man among them who could speak consecutively for fifteen minutes. Their lack of ability, the impoverished condition of their minds—their ignorance generally—was manifest. There was not a man among them of average intelligence. The House was neither amused nor instructed, but was perforce compelled to submit to the imposition of having to hear read reports that had already been distributed to, and read by, every member present.

He never charges illegal use of public funds, but it appears that he figures promptly as a speculator and gambler in trust funds contrary to law.

He charged that Liberals used their influence as members of Parliament to secure lands in the Northwest. It transpired that he had used his influence as a member of Parliament to acquire lands in the Northwest from the C.P.R.

He charged the Interior Department with having given timber limits to grafters. It transpired that he was a timber grifter when in office, but he wanted his timber limit free of cost.

He charged that insurance companies should be investigated because they used their funds improperly. It transpired that he was a gambler and speculator in the trust funds of the I.O.O.F., of this he was found guilty by Royal Commission.

He charged that certain persons dealing with the Government made illegal commissions and rake off. It transpired that in dealing with the funds of the Union Trust Company he had put in his pocket both commissions on the side and rake-off, both actions illegal and both condemned by Royal Commission.

He charges prominent Liberals with disloyalty and a desire to supplant each other. This from the leader in Sir MacKenzie Bowell's nest of traitors.

He refers to the public press as reflecting the views of the people of Canada as being adverse to the administrative act of members of the Liberal Cabinet. He was himself described by his own party papers as "Judas Iscariot."

## Hoist With Own Petard.

It is not surprising, therefore, that Geo. E. Foster was found to have been guilty of the very offence charged against the Minister of Marine and Fisheries. When an offence is charged against any person or any department

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of Government by Mr. Foster, one has only to examine the records, and Foster bobs up as having done the very thing charged. It was so in this case.

In 1890-91 Mr. Foster took \$954.08 from the commercial agency vote and used it for travelling expenses for himself and private secretary on a jaunt to the West Indies. The vote for commercial agencies does not admit of money being taken from it for expenses of the minister and his secretary. This incident is given in Hansard, 18 March, 1892, and is as follows:

## Proof of Foster's Guilt.

MR. PATTERSON (Brant). At Page B—91, I see that \$1,400 of unforeseen expenses are charged to commercial agencies. What was the expenditure for the trip to Jamaica?

MR. FOSTER. Yes; the West India Islands trip, and also the Washington trip. The expenses of the trip to Washington this year are also charged to commercial agencies.

MR. PATTERSON (Brant). That is not the intention of that vote, is it?

MR. FOSTER. The intention of the vote was never thoroughly carried out, though it is at present. But as we had not a surplus in the strictly proper appropriation, I thought it just as well to take the money out of that vote.

MR. McMULLEN. I notice that while the expenses of the Finance Minister to Washington are charged to commercial agencies, those of Sir Charles Tupper are charged to miscellaneous charges. How is that?

MR. FOSTER. It really makes very little difference I suppose, to what they are charged, as they all come out of the same pocket.

After Mr. Borden, the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, had read the foregoing, which proved conclusively that Mr. Foster had done the very thing which for three days and nights he had contended was nothing less than stealing, the Opposition were speechless. Mr. Foster's attenuated figure sank into his chair, and with his hat pulled over his eyes the exposed and discredited politician was at once an object of as much of pity as disgust.

## Foster Reaps the Whirlwind.

Members of the Opposition who had exhausted weary hours in killing time under the leadership of the man who was thus found guilty of everything he had for three days been urging against the Government, showed their contempt by leaving the Chamber, and only a few of the more callous remained to hear the abject admission on Mr. Foster's part which follows.

It was a tragic moment. The Opposition had stuck to Foster bravely for three days and nights, and at the supreme hour he failed them. Branded as guilty out of his own mouth, all the opprobrious terms which flow so glibly over his venomous tongue made applicable to himself—discredited before the House and the people of Canada, if his contention of three days and nights amounted to anything, and by his own verdict, guilty of stealing—Foster sat, disgraced and discredited, despised by his political opponents, deserted by his one-time political friends.

## Foster Admits His Guilt.

Rising in his seat, amid silence that could be felt, his cadaverous person-

lasting three days and nights. Foster making an object confession of having taken money from one vote of using it for another purpose. It was in consequence of a charge of doing this same thing made against the Minister of Marine and Fisheries by Mr. Foster that the Opposition declined to pass that gentleman's estimates, resulting in the memorable dead lock of last week.

Foster made his accusation, he made his retraction, and admitted being guilty of the act charged by him against another. This is the whole story. In the meantime the people of the country are being led to believe that Foster and his followers were fighting for some great principle and that the Minister of Marine and Fisheries had been guilty of some serious breach of trust.

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the principal witness against poor Barney.

"There was another witness, who was afflicted with an impediment in his speech. When excited he would stutter and go through such contortions that nobody could understand anything that he said, and his gestures were the writhings of an insane man. I had no witness for the defense and had to clear my man with the witnesses for the prosecution.

"There had been a row on the mountain side, and the evidence showed that Ellis had murdered a man named O'Brien without provocation except that O'Brien had claimed prior right to the mine of which Ellis had taken possession. O'Brien had gone into the mountain to assert his claim, and Ellis had killed him in the presence of two witnesses.

"Well, when the time came for trial Ellis sent word to me that he wanted to talk to me in the courtroom, but I sent back word for him to keep his mouth shut and see me immediately after the trial was over. The poor devil sat in the dock and eyed me wistfully. I could see that he had confidence in me as a criminal lawyer who had never lost a case, but his life was at stake, and he was guessing hard. I allowed the prosecution to make out its case with its witnesses and offered no objection of any kind. I told them that I was busy and wanted to get through the trial as soon as possible and as soon as my client was acquitted must take up another case, involving a great deal of property. It was a bluff, of course, but a bluff sometimes beats a full hand.

"When my turn came I took the principal witness for the prosecution, and I went after him in this fashion: 'You are the man that swore away the life of poor Barney last year. His blood cries aloud for vengeance. We all know, everybody here knows, judge and jury and all the people know, that you swore away the life of that poor boy when he was innocent. You seem to make it your business to testify in such cases. You evidently like to place yourself in a position where you can swear away human lives. Everybody knows that poor Barney was here in Nevada, and his aged mother weeps in Ireland, when you swore against

him, and he was hanged altogether on your testimony. I don't know what you have against Ellis here, but of course you have some grudge.'

"Here the prosecuting attorney properly interfered and demanded that the witness be protected from insult, but the judge ruled that the man who swore away the life of poor Barney deserved no protection. That decision had an immediate effect upon the jury, and I could see it. I was not defending Ellis directly, but I was successfully prejudicing the minds of the jury against this witness. I kept on abusing him and finally compelled him to admit to judge and jury that he had been mistaken in the Barney case the preceding year. Then I ranted and shouted:

"How dare you come into this court to swear away another human life? How dare you appear before a jury of intelligent men, all of whom know of the Barney case? You admit that you were mistaken in the Barney case and your testimony hanged that unhappy lad. You are also mistaken in this case unless you are perjuring yourself. But you can't hang Ellis with your prejudiced testimony. I thank God that the people of Nevada did not mob you last year, and I hope that they will not lynch you now, but you had better get out of this community as soon as you can or I will not vouch for your worthless life. Get off the witness stand and get out of my sight!

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"That was my last case in criminal practice. I declared that I would never again take the case of any man charged with murder. I felt that I had done my duty as a lawyer and had saved the life of a client who trusted that life to me, but I was deeply impressed with the belief that I could not do it again under any circumstances. So I quit criminal practice and went into politics. But I had not seen the last of Ellis. I had dismissed him from my mind entirely, but ten or twelve years afterward I was in Salt Lake City participating in a public meeting. Late at night I was walking to my hotel when a man rushed out of a little alley, handed me a purse of money and said: 'Take it. It's yours. You earned more, but that is all I have now. You saved my life. I'm Ellis.'

"With that he disappeared, and I have never seen or heard of him since. All of the circumstances were against him, and yet maybe he was innocent. A man who will go out of his way to pay a debt as Ellis did must have some good qualities in him. In the purse I found the neat sum of \$750, which must have represented his savings for a long time. I presume that he had been watching my movements and followed me on that occasion in order to pay for my services and let me know that he realized something of their value to him. Whether he was innocent or not I did my plain duty in defending him. No other course would have saved him from hanging, and it was well for him that he got out of sight as quickly as he did. Those were strenuous days in the mining regions. If Ellis is alive, he will not blame me for telling the story. If he was innocent, he will be glad to have it told."—Smith D. Fry in Los Angeles Times.

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"My last criminal case was a singular one. I was practicing law in Nevada and had achieved quite a reputation as a criminal lawyer by reason of several almost phenomenal successes, as luck would have it. The rougher element seemed to have confidence in me and to feel safe in placing their interests in my charge. Thus it happened that when a man named Ellis was arrested for killing a man named O'Brien, on a mining claim, a friend of Ellis came to me and paid me a retainer to defend Ellis. I accepted the retainer without making any inquiries as to details or particulars. I was busy with other matters.

"Just before the case came to trial I looked into it and found that the case against Ellis was a strong one. In fact, I did not see how Ellis was to have a ghost of a show for his life. I could find no plea on which to defend him. The community was prejudiced against him, and some of my best friends came to me and begged me not to defend him. But that made no difference to me. I had accepted the retainer, and I was Ellis' lawyer. It was my duty to save him, if possible. Consequently I told my friends that I was Ellis' lawyer and that I intended to clear him. For the life of me, I didn't know how, though.

"As trial day drew nigh, Ellis grew more and more nervous. He sent for me again and again to come and see him, but I persistently refused to do so. I felt that he was guilty. I believed that he would lie to me and confuse me. I stayed away from him and sent word that I would be on hand to defend him. He was obliged to be satisfied. No other lawyer would take his case. But I made a bluff of telling all over town that I was going to clear Ellis. Meantime I had been making desperate plans for my client.

"Only one year previous to the trial of Ellis a popular young Irishman named Barney had been convicted of murder on circumstantial evidence. Subsequently the real murderer was found and lynched. The case of poor unfortunate Barney was fresh in the minds of all, and the man who had been his attorney and had earnestly pleaded for his life was now the presiding judge. Moreover, the principal witness against my man Ellis had been

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"He disappeared. He was in a hurry to get out of the room. He was almost scared to death, and the jury could see that too. While he was getting out of the room I called for the other witness, and he came to the stand in a nervous, trembling manner, which indicated that I already had him scared almost to death. He was very much excited and evidently expected me to go after him as I had gone after the other witness. He could scarcely stammer his name, and this is what I did to him:

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"The poor fellow began to stutter and stammer and shake his head. He raised his arms and waved them about his head. He stammered and finally put his hands to his eyes, tears of vexation flowing, and then I shouted:

"Tears will not avail you. Let your conscience work. You know the truth, and you know that this deed was done in self defense. Tell the truth or get off the stand."

"He got off the stand. The jury did not know that he was a stutterer. They saw only that the witness was stricken dumb before a determined attorney, and they saw from his tears that he was regretting his direct testimony. My case was won. It took less than five minutes for the jury to render a verdict of not guilty.

"As soon as the verdict had been rendered Ellis came to me and asked if his life was saved, and I replied: 'Your life is safe for just about ten minutes. These people are now going to the saloon, and as soon as their whisky takes effect they will come here and run you up on a rope. While they are drinking you must scoot up

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The attitude of underpinners is not only painful; it is mean and ugly.—James.

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### Gone, Anyhow.

Mr. Jawback—That boy gets his brains from me.

Mrs. Jawback—Somebody got 'em from you, if you ever had any—that's a cinch.—Cleveland Leader.

### Hello, Pat!

"Me moind," said O'Grady, "is not very clear As to whether O'm there or if you are here. Of wan thing O'm certain—O'm niver alone Wholst chattin' wid you on th' long distance phone." —St. Louis Republic.

### Sympathetic.

Sapleigh—I make my—aw—living by my wits, douchie know.

Miss Caustique—Well, here's a dime. Run along and get something to eat.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

## GROUND HOG DAY.

### Survival of a Festival of the Middle Ages in Europe.

The origin of ground hog day is accounted for in the following way: Feb. 2, or Candlemas day, was a favorite holiday, marked by public gayety and ceremonies in Europe during the middle ages. It is still marked there by the closing of banks and offices, but not otherwise, outside of the reading of church services. In the church calendar it is known as the Feast of Purification of the Virgin and was first instituted by Pope Sergius about the year 684 A. D. The popular name of the day is derived from the early custom of lighting up the churches with candles and carrying these in procession on this festival.

As to the weather superstition giving to Candlemas the name of ground hog day, that is a worldwide fable. In Germany it is the badger that breaks his winter nap on this day to essay the thankless task of weather prophecy; in France and Switzerland it is the marmot and in England the hedgehog. Observation shows, says the Housekeeper, that none of these small animals do thus observe the date fixed; also that the weather on this date does not accurately foretell that of the following two months, as is supposed. But it is a general truth that in temperate latitudes warm and sunny weather in the first half of February is apt to be followed by a change and a cool spring, and on this fact our ground hog and badger stories are founded.

### Persevere.

I have often heard people in mature life say, "If I had only kept on as I had begun, if I had only persisted in carrying out my ambition, I might have amounted to something and been infinitely happier."

Multitudes of people have led miserable lives of regret, with thwarted ambitions constantly torturing them, simply because in a moment of weakness and discouragement they turned back. If there is any time a person needs nerve, grit and stamina it is when tempted to turn back, when the coward voice within says: "Don't you see how foolish it is for you to try to do this thing? You have not the means or the strength. How foolish to sacrifice years of comfort and pleasure at home among the people who love you for the sake of doing what you have undertaken! It is better to turn back and acknowledge your mistake than to go on and sacrifice so much." Whatever you do or how heavy the burden, do not lay it down at such a time. No matter how dark the way or how heavy the heart, wait until the "blue" depression or the discouragement has passed before taking any decided step.—Success Magazine.

## Confidence

when eating, that your food is of highest wholesomeness—that it has nothing in it that can injure or distress you—makes the repast doubly comfortable and satisfactory.

This supreme confidence you have when the food is raised with

## ROYAL Baking Powder Absolutely Pure

The only baking powder made with Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

There can be no comforting confidence when eating alum baking powder food. Chemists say that more or less of the alum powder in unchanged alum or alum salts remains in the food.

## OVER NIAGARA FALLS

Fate of a Schooner That Was Used as an Experiment.

SHE WAS DASHED TO PIECES.

A Thrilling Sight From the Time She Struck the Seething Rapids Until the Mighty Falls Tore Her Into Splinters—A Pair of Tough Geese.

The following story of the first public excursion to Niagara Falls was written at the time by an eyewitness:

"The schooner Michigan was the largest vessel on Lake Erie at that time. She was too large, in fact, to enter the various harbors on the lake, and, being somewhat decayed in her uppers, the owner, Major Frazer, got the idea that she would answer the purpose of testing the fate of a vessel that by accident might approach too near the cataract and also the fate of living things that might be caught in the rapids. The proprietors of the large public houses at the falls on both sides of the river and of stages and steamboats made up a purse to purchase the schooner, aware that they would be amply repaid by the spectators that the exhibition would attract.

"For several days previous to Sept. 6, 1828, the day for which the affair was fixed, which was Saturday, the stages and canalboats came to Buffalo crowded with people. On the night of Sept. 5 wagons filled with country people rattled through the village in

sentation of the crashing of a vessel's spars in a shipwreck at sea. She swung around and presented her broadside to the dashing and foaming water, and, after remaining, as it seemed, stationary for a moment, swung around until she was headed upstream.

"Passing the third rapid she blged, but carried her hull to all appearances whole as she tossed and groaned between Grass Island and the British shore to the Horseshoe fall, over which she was drawn sternforemost and hurled into the thundering abyss. She was dashed to fragments before she struck in the seething waters below. Immediately after she went over hundreds of people hurried below the falls. The river was covered with fragments of the vessel. Nowhere could be found as much as two boards nailed together, and her great timbers were broken into bits like firewood.

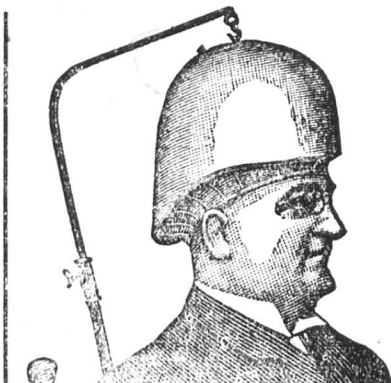
"There were aboard the Michigan when she started on her trip toward the falls a wild bull buffalo from a western prairie, two bears from the Lake Superior regions, two foxes, a raccoon, a dog, a cat and four geese. When the vessel left Yale's landing in tow all these were let loose on the deck except the buffalo. He was inclosed in a pen. The two bears got enough of the trip when the vessel began the descent of the first rapid, and they climbed down the side next the Canada shore, plunged into the swift water, breasted its powerful sweep successfully and reached the shore. They were so exhausted when they got on land that they made no resistance to being captured. The bears, before they abandoned the ship, climbed the masts of the vessel and, as it was presumed, from that outlook saw what their finish would be anyhow and then determined to take the chances of getting to land, slim as they were. The raccoon was up a mast and remained there un-

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THE EVANS VACUUM CAP is a practical invention constructed on scientific and hygienic principles by the simple means of which a free and normal circulation is restored throughout the scalp. The minute blood vessels are gently stimulated to activity, thus allowing the food supply which can only be derived from the blood, to be carried to the hair roots, the effects of which are quick y seen in a healthy, vigorous growth of hair. There is no rubbing, and as no drugs or chemicals of whatsoever kind are employed there is nothing to cause irritation. It is only necessary to wear the Cap three or four minutes daily.

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The Company's Guarantee.

An EVANS VACUUM CAP will be sent you for sixty days' free trial. I you do not see a gradual development of a new growth of hair, and are not convinced that the Cap will completely restore your hair, you are at liberty to return the Cap with no expense whatever to yourself. It is requested, as an evidence of good faith, that the price of the Cap be deposited with the Chancery Lane Safe Deposit Company of London, the largest financial and business institution of the kind in the world, who will issue a receipt guaranteeing that the money will be returned in full, on demand without questions or comment, at any time during the trial period.

The eminent Dr. L. N. LOVE, in his address to the Medical Board on the subject of Alopecia (loss of hair) stated that if a means could be devised to bring nutrition to the hair follicles, their roots, with out restoring to any irritating process, the problem of hair growth would be solved. Later on, when the EVANS VACUUM CAP was submitted to him for inspection, he remarked that the Cap would fulfil and confirm in practice the observations he had previously made before the Medical Board.

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## Bay of Quinte Railway and Navigation Company

GENERAL PASSENGER TIME TABLE.

Eastern Standard Time. No. 28 Taking effect Jan 1st, 1906.

Bannockburn and Tamworth to Nanapee and Deseronto.						Deseronto and Nanapee to Tamworth and Bannockburn.					
Stations	Miles	No.12	No.40	No.4	No.6	Stations	Miles	No.1	No.41	No.3	No.5
		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.			A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
yo Bannockburn	0	6:00	1:00	1:00	1:00	Live Deseronto	0	7:00	12:35	1:00	1:00
Albion	5	6:15	1:15	1:15	1:15	Arr Nanapee	9	7:20	1:15	1:15	1:15
Queensboro	9	6:25	1:25	1:25	1:25	Live Nanapee	9	7:40	1:25	1:25	1:25
Bridgeport	14	6:40	1:40	1:40	1:40	Strathcona	15	8:05	1:40	1:25	1:40
Twedd	20	6:55	1:55	1:55	1:55	Newburgh	17	8:15	1:50	1:35	1:50
Live Twedd	21	7:10	2:10	2:10	2:10	Thomson's Mills	18	8:30	2:00	1:45	2:00
Steele	27	7:25	2:25	2:25	2:25	Camden East	19	8:45	2:15	1:00	2:15
Marlborough	33	7:40	2:40	2:40	2:40	Arr Yarker	23	9:00	2:17	1:00	2:25
Erinville	37	7:55	2:55	2:55	2:55	Live Yarker	23	9:00	2:17	1:00	2:25
Tamworth	40	8:10	3:10	3:10	3:10	Galbraith	25	9:20	2:33	1:15	2:35
Wilson	44	8:25	3:25	3:25	3:25	Moscow	27	9:35	2:50	1:30	2:45
Enterprise	45	8:35	3:35	3:35	3:35	Enterprise	30	9:50	3:10	1:45	2:55
Mudlake Bridge	48	8:50	3:50	3:50	3:50	Wilson	34	10:00	3:10	1:45	3:00
Moscow	51	9:05	4:05	4:05	4:05	Tamworth	38	10:10	3:25	1:55	3:10
Galbraith	53	9:20	4:20	4:20	4:20	Erinville	41	10:20	3:40	2:05	3:20
Yarker	55	9:35	4:35	4:35	4:35	Marlborough	45	10:35	3:55	2:20	3:35
Live Yarker	55	9:40	4:40	4:40	4:40	Lochias	51	10:45	4:15	2:35	3:45
Camden East	59	10:05	4:05	4:05	4:05	Steele	55	11:00	4:30	2:50	3:55
Thomson's Mills	60	10:15	4:15	4:15	4:15	Arr Twedd	58	11:15	4:45	3:00	4:00
Newburgh	61	10:25	4:25	4:25	4:25	Live Twedd	58	11:31	4:57	3:10	4:10
Strathcona	62	10:35	4:35	4:35	4:35	Bridgeport	64	11:50	5:10	3:25	4:25
Nanapee	69	11:00	4:05	4:05	4:05	Queensboro	70	12:05	5:30	3:40	4:40
Live Nanapee	69	11:05	4:10	4:10	4:10	Albion	73	12:20	5:45	3:55	4:55
Arr Deseronto	78	11:25	4:35	4:35	4:35	Arr Bannockburn	78	12:40	6:00	4:10	5:10

Kingston and Sydenham to Deseronto.						Deseronto and Nanapee to Sydenham and Kingston.					
Stations	Miles	No.2	No.4	No.6		Stations	Miles	No.1	No.3	No.5	
		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.				A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
Live Kingston	0	7:00	3:25	3:25		Live Deseronto	0	7:00	3:25	3:25	
G. T. R. Junction	3	7:10	3:35	3:35		Arr Nanapee	9	7:20	3:40	3:40	
Glendale	10	7:25	3:50	3:50		Live Nanapee	9	7:40	3:55	3:55	
Murvale	14	7:40	4:05	4:05		Strathcona	15	8:05	4:10	4:10	
Arr Harrowsmith	19	7:55	4:20	4:20		Newburgh	17	8:15	4:20	4:20	
Live Sydenham	23	8:10	4:35	4:35		Thomson's Mills	18	8:30	4:35	4:35	
Arr Harrowsmith	19	8:10	4:20	4:20		Camden East	19	8:45	4:45	4:45	
Frontenac	24	8:35	4:50	4:50		Thomson's Mills	18	8:55	4:55	4:55	
Yarker	25	8:45	5:00	5:00		Arr Yarker	23	9:00	5:00	5:00	
Live Yarker	25	8:50	5:05	5:05		Frontenac	27	9:15	5:15	5:15	
Camden East	30	9:15	5:35	5:35		Arr Harrowsmith	30	9:30	5:30	5:30	
Thomson's Mills	31	9:25	5:45	5:45		Sydenham	34	9:45	5:45	5:45	
Newburgh	33	9:35	5:55	5:55		Arr Harrowsmith	30	9:10	5:10	5:10	
Strathcona	35	9:45	6:05	6:05		Nanapee	35	9:25	5:25	5:25	
Arr Nanapee	40	10:00	6:20	6:20		Glendale	39	9:35	5:35	5:35	
Live Nanapee, West End	40	10:05	6:25	6:25		G. T. R. Junction	47	9:50	5:50	5:50	
Arr Deseronto	49	10:15	6:35	6:35		Arr Kingston	49	10:00	6:00	6:00	

### LOCAL WORKING TIME TABLE.

NANAPEE to DESERONTO and PICTON.				PICTON to DESERONTO and NANAPEE.			
TRAINS	STEAMERS	STEAMERS	TRAINS	TRAINS	STEAMERS	STEAMERS	TRAINS
Leave Nanapee	Leave Deseronto	Leave Deseronto	Leave Picton	Leave Picton	Leave Deseronto	Leave Deseronto	Leave Nanapee
2:30 a.m.	2:10 a.m.	2:10 a.m.	2:30 a.m.	2:30 a.m.	9:50 a.m.	9:50 a.m.	10:10 a.m.
3:30 a.m.	3:50 a.m.	3:50 a.m.	3:30 a.m.	3:30 a.m.	11:30 a.m.	11:30 a.m.	11:50 a.m.
6:30 a.m.	6:50 a.m.	7:00 a.m.	6:30 a.m.	6:30 a.m.	12:40 p.m.	12:40 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
6:55 a.m.	8:15 a.m.	8:30 a.m.	6:55 a.m.	6:55 a.m.	12:55 p.m.	12:55 p.m.	1:15 p.m.
10:30 a.m.	10:50 a.m.	11:00 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	1:30 p.m.	1:30 p.m.	1:45 p.m.
12:05 p.m.	12:25 p.m.	1:40 p.m.	12:05 p.m.	12:05 p.m.	6:10 p.m.	6:10 p.m.	6:30 p.m.
1:30 p.m.	1:50 p.m.	5:30 p.m.	1:30 p.m.	1:30 p.m.	7:40 p.m.	7:40 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	4:50 p.m.	7:00 p.m.	4:30 p.m.	4:30 p.m.	1:00 p.m.	1:00 p.m.	1:20 p.m.
6:30 p.m.	6:55 p.m.	7:00 a.m.	6:30 p.m.	6:30 p.m.	5:55 p.m.	5:55 p.m.	6:15 p.m.
6:55 p.m.	7:10 p.m.	8:30 a.m.	6:55 p.m.	6:55 p.m.	7:20 p.m.	7:20 p.m.	7:40 p.m.
8:15 p.m.	8:35 p.m.		8:15 p.m.	8:15 p.m.	9:30 p.m.	9:30 p.m.	9:50 p.m.

Daily. All other runs run daily, Sundays excepted.

WALTER RATHBUN

H. B. SHERWOOD

D. A. VALLEAU

For several days previous to Sept. 6, 1828, the day for which the affair was fixed, which was Saturday, the stages and canalboats came to Buffalo crowded with people. On the night of Sept. 5 wagons filled with country people rattled through the village in unbroken procession all night long, and on the morning of Sept. 6 Buffalo itself seemed to be moving in one mass toward the point of attraction. Five steamboats had been advertised to leave Buffalo Saturday morning. They were the Henry Clay, William Penn, Pioneer, Niagara and Chippewa. The Chippewa was appointed to tow the schooner Michigan to the Niagara river. I was a passenger on her.

"As soon as we got well under way the scene became interesting. The other four steamers came plowing along in our wake, crowded to the guards with passengers and bands of music playing. The Chippewa towed the big schooner to Yale's landing, on the Canada side of the Niagara river, where our passengers went ashore, as did those of the William Penn. The passengers of the Henry Clay and Pioneer landed on the American side. Yale's Landing was three miles above the falls, and the crowds of people were taken from there on down the river in wagons of all kinds. The hour fixed for towing the Michigan from Yale's Landing to the rapids was 3 in the afternoon.

"This task, an extremely hazardous one, was intrusted to the oldest sailor on the lake, Captain Rough. With a yawl boat and five sturdy oarsmen the old captain got the schooner under way. They towed her to within a quarter of a mile of the first rapids and within half a mile of the tremendous precipice itself—as near as they dared approach. They cut the big vessel adrift, and she passed majestically on, while the oarsmen of the yawl had to bend their every nerve and muscle to remove themselves from the peril of being drawn down by the rushing waters. Indeed, such had been the fear and apprehension of the men that they mutinied against Captain Rough and cut the towline before the time he had set. If they had obeyed the reckless old captain, he, the yawl and its crew would have preceded the Michigan over the falls.

"The high grounds on both shores of the river were lined with people as the Michigan, unguided by human agency, approached, head on, the first rapid of the seething descent, apparently keeping the very course that a skillful navigator would have guided her in. The American ensign streamed from her bowsprit and the British jack floated at her stern. The vessel shot the first rapid unhurt, still head on, making a plunge, shipping a sea and rising from it in beautiful style. In her descent of the second rapid, the water momentarily increasing in velocity and tumult, her towering masts went by the board, giving the spectators a startling representation.

### I WILL BE HERALD

In Letting the World Know What a

Boon Catarrh Sufferers Have in

Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal

Powder.

John E. Dell, of Paulding, O., says of Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder:—"I was a sufferer from chronic catarrh. I was advised to try Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. It worked a great cure in me. I had almost instant relief. It is the best remedy I ever tried for this disease. I will do all I can to make its excellent qualities known to those suffering as I did. (23)

Sold by T. B. Wallace

Cord wood and Block wood for sale. Robt. Light

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The bears, before they abandoned the ship, climbed the masts of the vessel and, as it was presumed, from that outlook saw what their finish would be anyhow and then determined to take the chances of getting to land, slim as they were. The raccoon ran up a mast and remained there until the mast fell. He was never seen again. The foxes ran frantically up and down the deck and went over with the schooner, as did the buffalo bull and the geese. Not a trace of foxes or buffalo was ever found. Two of the geese swam ashore half a mile below the falls. The other two met the fate of the buffalo and the foxes."

### HIT HIM IN TWO PLACES.

The Way Cicero Treated His Devoted Admirer Petrarch.

In the early autumn of 1358 Petrarch suffered an accident which may be narrated in his own words. "You shall hear," he writes to a friend, "what a trick Cicero, the man whom I have loved and worshiped from my boyhood, has just played me. I possess a huge volume of his letters, which I wrote out some time ago with my own hand because there was no original manuscript accessible to the copyists. My health hindered me, but my great love of Cicero and delight in the letters and eagerness to possess them prevailed against my bodily weakness and the laboriousness of the work. This is the book which you have seen leaning against the doorpost at the entry to my library. One day while going into the room thinking about something else, as I often do, I happened inadvertently to catch the book in the fringe of my gown. In its fall it struck me lightly on the left leg a little above the heel. 'What! My Cicero,' quoth I, bantering him, 'pray what are you hitting me for?' He said nothing, but next day as I came again the same way he hit me again, and again I laughed at him and set him up in his place. Why make a long story? Over and over again I went on suffering the same hurt, and, thinking he might be cross at having to stand on the ground, I put him up a shelf higher, but not till after the repeated blows on the same spot had broken the skin and a far from despicable sore had resulted. I despised it, though, reckoning the cause of my accident of much more weight than the accident itself. At last, when the pain was too much not only for my wit, but for sleep and rest, so that to neglect the thing any longer seemed not courage, but madness, I was forced to call in the doctors, who have now for some days been fussing over this really ridiculous wound, not without great pain and some danger to the wounded limb, as they insist, though I think you know just what reliance I place on their prognostications either of good or evil. So this is how my beloved Cicero has treated me. He long ago struck my heart, and now he has struck my leg."—From H. C. Hallway-Calthorpe's "Petrarch."

### Book Auction Back in 1732.

John Montgomerie, governor of the province of New York, died on July 1, 1731. In the New York Gazette of May 8, 1732, is the following advertisement, the first of the kind:

"On Thursday, June 1, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, will begin to be sold at public auction a collection of valuable books belonging to the library of his excellency John Montgomerie, Esq., late governor of New York, etc., deceased. A catalogue of the books may be seen at the Coffee House in New York, with the conditions of sale."

This is also the first instance where the word "auction" appears. "rendue" being the term in general use.

TOWNSHIP OF RICHMOND.

Selby, March 2nd, 1908.

The Council met at Selby.

The members present were Messrs. R. W. Paul, Reeve, and Councillors, Alf McCutcheon, E. R. Sills, C. H. Spencer and Manly Jones. The Reeve presiding.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

A communication was received and read from the General Hospital, Kingston in reference to the case of Magdalene Fralick. Laid on the table.

The Auditors' Report that was laid on the table until this session of the Council was still further laid over for the Council to examine and finally report at the next meeting of this Council.

8. Moved by Manly Jones and seconded by C. H. Spencer, that the town of Napanee be paid the sum of \$40.00 in full payment of our share of building two culverts in 1907 on the boundary between Napanee and Richmond near eastern cemetery. Carried.

8. Moved by Manly Jones and seconded by C. H. Spencer, that upon the petition of R. N. Brown asking aid, that this Council donate \$10.00 to be placed in the hands of the mover. Carried.

Moved by E. R. Sills, seconded by Manly Jones, that the communication from the Kingston General Hospital in reference to Magdalene Fralick be left in the hands of Messrs Spencer and McCutcheon, the committee in charge of the matter. Carried.

Moved by E. R. Sills, seconded by C. H. Spencer, that the following accounts be paid: Aid for Thomas McTaggart, \$5.00; Fred Sexsmith two cords of wood for N. Huyck, \$7.00; Frank McCutcheon two cords of wood for Thomas Sovereign \$9.00. Carried.

Moved by Alf McCutcheon, seconded by E. R. Sills that the following accounts be paid: M. S. Madole, 39 feet tile for the year 1907, \$15.35; Alf McCutcheon wood for Town Hall, \$4.50; R. McCormick cutting wood for Town Hall \$1.00. Carried.

Moved by Alf McCutcheon, seconded by Manly Jones, that the Collector's time be extended until the next meeting of the Council, and that the Collector be and is hereby authorized to continue the collection of the unpaid taxes. Carried.

A By-law was introduced for the appointment of Pathmasters, Pound-keepers and Fenceviewers, which was read and finally passed.

The following contains a list of the officers appointed:

PATHMASTERS.

1 R. D. Bowen	29 Wm. McConnell	57 Ed Jordan
2 H. M. Sager	30 Leopold Carscallen	58 Wm Cook
3 Alex Thompson	31 Robt McGuinness	59 Chas Dean
4 Robt Henderson	32 Wm. Provins	60 Thos Deline
5 Fred Schrimshaw	33 John McLaughlin	61 John Turnbull
6 Malcolm Oliver	34 Wesley Hall	62 Wm Waddell
7 Elijah Grooms	35 J. J. Bush	63 Wm Busby
8 Menzo Grooms	36 King Scott	64 Geo Hanes
9 Frank Smith	37 Geo. Brown	65 P. G. Huyck
10 Ira E. Grooms	38 Ira Bradshaw	66 Wm Vandebogart
11 Henry Milling	39 Jas Windover	67 Elwell Bell
12 James Black	40 John Gleason	68 John Schermehorn
13 W. B. Sills.	41 A. McNeil	69 Alex Hart
14 A. V. Hawley	42 Wm English	70 Jos. Hartin
15 Wilbert Winters	43 Dan Ryan	71 Datus Denison
16 I. B. Taylor	44 Jas Booth	73 Hugh Henderson
17 Wm. Warner	45 Arch McCutcheon	74 Alfred Doydye
18 Ed Huffman	46 Thos Sexsmith	75 Dan McCarten
19 Moses Hudgins	47 J. Deline	76 Jas Turnbull
20 Dan O'Hara	48 Thos Henderson	77 D. M. Kimmery
21 J. C. Hudgins	49 S. Thompson	78 J. H. Allison
22 Irvin Russell	50 Wilson Booth	79 Martin Deline
23 Arthur McLeod	51 John Hartin	80 John McAllister
24 J. E. Hudgins	52 Christie Hartin	81 Chas Walroth
25 W. J. Winters	53 Geo Davis	82 Chas McConnell
26 Jas McCormick	54 Henry Keller	83 Archie Winters
27 Thos Manion	55 Mearl Sills	
28 Irvin Allison	56 Cephas Dafoe	

POUND-KEEPERS.

Ed Long	John Cook	Asa Abbott
Herschimer Aylsworth	Irvin Allison	A. J. Scott
Martin Deline	I. J. Russell	John Jaynes
Cornelius Alcombrack	W. Waddell	D. R. Sexsmith
Robt. Birrell	Geo. Tyner	Leopold Carscallen
Jas Hewitt	Shirley Lewis	E. R. Williams
Wm Brandon	Wilson Booth	John Russell
Nelson Russell	Gasper Lewis	F. M. Card
John A. Richmond	John H. Hughes	S. E. Scott
E. P. Smith	Robt. Storings	

FENCE-VIEWERS

Ed Milling	I. B. Hudgins	A. J. Scott
Mearl Sills	J. M. Sexsmith	M. C. Bogart
Chas Anderson	Willett Pringle	Robt. Bowen
I. S. Jackson	J. M. Hughes	John Turnbull
H. W. Sayer	Jas Richmond	Calvin Arnold
Chas Kimmitt	John Thompson	A. C. McConnell
I. B. Sills	Ramsellar Thompson	Jas McKitrick
Angus McQuaig	J. A. Thompson	

Councillor Spencer gave notice that at the next meeting of the council that he would introduce a By-law fixing the rate for the commutation of Statute labor.

Moved by E. R. Sills and seconded by Alf. McCutcheon, that (re) a letter from Chas. Anderson's Solicitor, Herrington, Warner and Grange in reference to a ditch that it be filled and that Chas. Anderson be notified that this Council expects him to abide by the agreement entered into with this Township. Carried.

Moved by C. H. Spencer and seconded by R. W. Paul, that the accounts of the Township of Richmond be transferred from the Crown Bank to the Dominion Bank. Lost.

The Council adjourned for to meet on the first Monday in April at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M.

A. WINTERS,  
Clerk.

# “Every One Thought I Had Consumption.”

## Pe-ru-na Saved Me.”

“I THANK  
DR. HARTMAN  
FOR PE-RU-NA.”



MRS. MOIE PARIZEAU.

“I hardly know how to thank you for the good Peruna has done me.

“I suffered five years with pain in the stomach. About a year ago it became so bad I could hardly bear it. I coughed day and night and grew weaker and weaker. The pain extended through my body and I also had difficulty in breathing, which made me cough. Everyone thought I had consumption.

“My husband heard of Peruna and bought five bottles. This treatment virtually cured me and now I recommend Peruna to every one who is suffering.

“I thank Dr. Hartman for this excellent remedy.”

Sta. Julie deVercheres, P. Q., Canada.

—Mrs. Moie Parizeau.

A NEGLECTED cold is generally the first cause of catarrh.

Women are especially liable to colds. These colds occur more frequently during the wet, sloppy weather of winter and spring than any other time of the year. Often they are not considered serious and are allowed to run on, or they are treated in such a way as to only palliate the symptoms, while the cold becomes more deep-seated and the patient finally awakens to the fact that she has a well-developed case of catarrh.

### WOMEN SHOULD BEWARE OF CATCHING COLD.

By reason of their delicate structure, the lungs are frequently the seat of a cold, especially if there is the slightest weakness of these organs. The treatment of catarrh of the lungs is also more difficult and discouraging than catarrh of any other organ of the body.

It would be wise therefore, to guard against it by every precaution possible. Peruna has been found the most reliable of all remedies for coughs, colds and catarrh, by reason of the fact that it goes at once to the very seat of the trouble. It searches out every crevice, every duct of the body. It quickens and equalizes the circulation of the blood, thus relieving the congested mucous membranes. It exercises a healing and soothing effect upon the mucous membranes, no matter whether they are the more exposed membranes of the head and throat, or whether they line the remotest cells of the lungs.

### PE-RU-NA THE REMEDY FOR CATARRH OF THE LUNGS.

Mrs. Jaschob, 1611 Hicks St., Toledo, Ohio, writes:

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## THE ENCORE HABIT.

How Sims Reeves Turned the Tables on One of His Admirers.

Sims Reeves, who in his day was accepted as the most celebrated tenor on the concert stage, was so much of a favorite that whenever he sang he was usually greeted with a hearty encore, accompanied with enthusiastic cheers.

Reeves was very good natured about the matter, but he made it a rule never to sing more than one selection when he felt that his voice was not in first class shape. He happened to notice that an elderly man, who turned out to be a dealer in hats along the Strand, London, attended nearly every concert within convenient distance if Sims Reeves happened to be on the bill and generally led the encore brigade. This latter was a persistent person and often applauded until he had forced Reeves to respond to double and triple

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Moved by C. H. Spencer and seconded by R. W. Paul, that the accounts of the Township of Richmond be transferred from the Crown Bank to the Dominion Bank. Lost.

The Council adjourned for to meet on the first Monday in April at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M.

A. WINTERS,  
Clerk.

## THE ODOR OF SANCITY.

**A French Writer's Theory of How It May Be Exuded by Man.**

Dr. Georges Dumas is the author of an article in the Revue de Paris on "The Odor of Sanctity." The writer accepts as true the numerous reported instances of saints and mystics of the Catholic church whose bodies after death or during moments of ecstasy emitted peculiarly pleasing odors of various kinds. Then men and women with whom such legends deal, argues Dr. Dumas, were neuraesthenes, and it is not impossible that the aroma of sanctity which surrounded them was the product of strictly physiological and chemical changes common to all men, but present in highly intensified form in subjects who, so to speak, burned up the candle of their existence at an unusually rapid rate. He says in part:

"So far, then, we have come across a great variety of perfumes—cinnamon, clove, orange, pineapple, rose, violet, lily of the valley, yellow amber and benzoin. Now, the natural constitution of all of these is well known, and chemistry produces them daily for commercial purposes. We may therefore substitute the equivalent chemical expressions for the ordinary terms we have employed and say that orange, cinnamon, violet and musk owe their perfume to aldehydes and acetones, aromatic liquids derived from the alcohols, just as the artificial essence of pineapple comes from butyric ether. We have, then, to ask whether the human body can produce odorous compounds of the kind we have mentioned and under what conditions. As a matter of fact, it does produce a certain number of such compounds in the destruction of organic matter, which is the constant condition of life, in particular acetones and the volatile fatty acids, butyric, formic, acetic, etc. If the process of combustion is normal all these constituents are burned up, completely oxidized, and give as a residue water, carbonic acid and urea. But let some slackening occur in the inmost nutrition of the tissues and the same constituents will escape through the breath, perspiration and the skin."

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—Philadelphia Ledger.

## A Cynical Solution.

She—I wonder why they call it a honeymoon?

He—Because many folks going to it for the sweets of life get stung.—Minneapolis Journal.

## Your Very Own.

There's one thing that seems to me funny—When the state of a bank becomes runny. You're supposed to go back And sit down. It's a fact They get mad if you ask for your money.  
—Lippincott's.

# HELPFUL ADVICE



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to be a dealer in hats along the Strand, London, attended nearly every concert within convenient distance if Sims Reeves happened to be on the bill and generally led the encore brigade. This latter was a persistent person and often applauded until he had forced Reeves to respond to double and triple encores.

Determined to teach the little hatter a lesson, one afternoon just as dark was approaching Reeves entered his admirer's store and said, "One hat, please," naming the particular shape which he desired. The little hatter didn't recognize the great tenor and handed out one hat.

"Good," said Reeves. "How much is this hat?"

"Five shillings," said the store proprietor.

"Encore," said Reeves.

A second hat was forthcoming, and Reeves ultimately obtained three "encore" hats. When the little hatter demanded £1 sterling for the purchases Reeves pretended to be furious.

"Send these four hats to this address," ordered the tenor in terrible tone, "but I only pay for one hat. Do you understand? The three other hats are 'encore' hats. If you make me sing songs for nothing you must send me hats for nothing."

The little hatter was speechless.—Portland Oregonian.

## TWICKENHAM.

Famous as the Abode of Many English Literary Giants.

The place to which the lover of English literature will sooner or later turn his steps is Twickenham. No other small town can boast of having been the residence and beloved abode of so many famous literary lights. With it are associated the immortal names of Pope, Horace Walpole, Swift, Gay, Lady Wortley Montagu, Gibson, Boswell, Johnson, Tennyson and Dickens. Surely this is enough to make any place doubly immortal! Twickenham was well nicknamed by Horace Walpole the Balae, or Tivoli, of England, for it has truly been to London what Balae was to ancient Rome—indeed, far a higher degree. The big red brick house in Montpellier road where Alfred Tennyson lived for so many years of his earlier married life was the one in which many of his earlier poems were written. There his son Lionel, the second Lord Tennyson, was born, and there the author of "Idylls" entertained many of his literary friends and acquaintances. That house should surely be sacred to all lovers of English literature, which saw the dawn of "In Memoriam," which witnessed those delightful gatherings graced by Tennyson, Hallam and kindred spirits within its walls. It is today called "Tennyson House."—Westminster Gazette.

## Men's Maids.

"Men's maids, yes," said an employment agent. "There are more of them than of men's men or valets. Visit the fashionable hotels of California, Florida, the Riviera, Egypt, and as you pass open bedroom doors of a morning or an afternoon what do you see? Maids changing the studs in evening shirts, pressing trousers with patent alcohol irons, brushing coats and putting fresh laces in boots. The average well-to-do couple—the couple that can afford the best winter and summer resorts—travel with a maid, but not with a maid and a valet, for, after all, a valet is very expensive, and his duties occupy only a few hours a day, and a maid can get through all of them just as well as not. So the average lady's maid is a man's maid as well—maid to the wife, valet to the husband. She likes her latter duties. They are, you see, simple and easy, and they draw forth the most generous tips."

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## He Gets Too Many.

"My, John, you haven't a particle of tact!"

"What have I done now?"

"Asking Mr. Hamfat to dinner and telling him you will give him a good roast! And he a second rate actor?"—Baltimore American.

## One Way.

Husband—I don't know how much of an allowance to give you. Wife—You know how much you can afford, don't you? Husband—Why, yes. Wife—Then give me as much more as you can spare.—Illustrated Bits.

## Getting It All.

"What can I bring you today, sir?"

"I hardly know. The doctor says I need carbohydrates and proteids, and I want something nitrogenous, I think."

"Yes, sir. How about an order of hash?"

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Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will cure all troubles due to poor watery blood, such as anemia, general weakness, indigestion, neuritis, skin troubles, rheumatism, the after effects of la grippe, and such nervous troubles as St. Vitus dance and cerebral paralysis. Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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England's naval experts state that England to-day possesses not only the biggest and most powerful warships, but that she has afloat the biggest and fastest fleet of destroyers in the world. They point out that when the King recently reviewed the home and reserve fleets, off Spithead, it was proved that of the 182 ships reviewed, 166 were able to leave immediately for the manoeuvres in an extraordinarily high percentage of preparedness.

England under present Administration has slightly reduced her naval expenditures. The total naval estimates for the year 1917-18 aggregated £31,419,500 (\$158,000,000), as against £31,369,500 (\$170,000,000) for the preceding year. This economy, though large, is unimportant considering the present great predominance of the British navy over all others. England intends to maintain this predominance by building four Dreadnaughts annually, and it is the intention of England to continue their construction until she possesses in ves-

# A MAN'S REVENGE;

OR, THE CONVICT'S DAUGHTER.

### CHAPTER XXIX.—(Continued.)

"Of course I mean to stick to you," she exclaimed. "Whatever do you mean by saying that? There's no fear of your being caught. Sunbeam hasn't betrayed you?"

He moved uneasily in his chair. "Sunbeam!" he ejaculated. "Wot makes you think of 'er? She's out of it altogether, though I don't say she mayn't speak up for herself."

"She won't. I know her, and so do you. Why, Bill, you love her still. And you ain't the man to let her suffer for you. Think how we've pampered her, and think of where she may go for love of you. Oh, whatever you mean by your mysterious speaking is nothing to what we ought to feel for her—our golden haired baby."

"Shut up," he snarled, his eyes gleaming angrily. "I've no time to talk about 'er. It's her duty to return something for all I've done for 'er, so 'old yer noise and listen to me—"

"But you don't know the worst about her. That they've arrested her for stealing the pearls, and that—"

"Hang the pearls and you too. I knows as much as I wanten. An' Sunbeam 'll come out of it wot ought, you bet. As you say, I've liked 'er, and— But there, you'll make me drivell loike myself. You've to get ready for a journey. We're goin' to leave England this very night; I've made all arrangements, thanks to the pearls. The longed for farm an' bit of ground will be ours after all. So 'urry up. We fill as s-on's possible."

"But it's too sudden, Bill; besides, we can't go away until Sunbeam is—"

"Gummen. Sunbeam 'll be well looked after, you bet. If you care for me an' want a 'ome in your old age with me, you must do wot I say. If not, you can stay and get punished for me about the Sunbeam business, and run the risk of no 'ome at all—for I mean to quit this soon's possible. Tain't the first time you've rushed off in a 'urry, you're used to that by now, so the quicker you set to work the better. We'll fold up our beds an' walk, an' shake off the soil of England from our 'ees afore midnight. You see, Het, I might have gorn and left you, not bothered about you; but you've acted square by me, an' so I'll act square by you, long's there's a chance for me, there'll be one for you—"

"But Sunbeam!" she interposed tearfully.

"She'll do, I said. Besides, wot good can you do 'er? If her story come out, 'ow can you explain the past? They'll be bound to punish you some 'ow."

"But who will tell 'em? Why should that come out at all?"

"Leastways, she's lost to us, ain't she? Though Dan still grumbles about it, he's given up that idea of 'is. He only wanted 'er to make her work for us. I've made that up to him, and we're quits. But 'a might gess at the truth about 'er, and try to sell us. But I've cooked 'im."

He leaned back in his chair, chuckling with delight. She looked at him puzzled. Then, realizing that he was in a good temper, exclaimed:—

"How? And for all that, why should we go away, and leave Sunbeam? She loves us, and would let nothing happen

ther returned in full force. What he had done for Sunbeam he did not know. But she felt reassured on that subject. She had never known Bill to deceive her, whatever he had done to others. And now her duty was to save him. She felt sorry for the suddenness of the flight, and dreaded the long sea voyage. But in another land things would be safer, and some day she would see Sunbeam again.

"You may be sure we shan't suffer for this. Sunbeam 'll be more use to us now than ever," were Bill's parting words as he went towards the door. "Git out o' this as soon's you can," he whispered with a wink and his finger on his nose.

### CHAPTER XXX.

The balcony of Munton Hotel overlooking the quiet market square, and was a favorite resort of all visitors. While it afforded a capital view of the town, especially on market days, its occupants were hidden from the gaze of the curious by the leafy branches of a magnificent wisteria and the graceful foliage of a virginia creeper, intermingling lovingly from base to roof of the old-fashioned building.

There Sunbeam sat with Lady Cruse the morning after Duncan's meeting with Hetty. Sit waiting for her lover's return, her heart full of anxiety. For Duncan had not come back the night before, after all. They had received a telegram from him telling that he was detained. How and by what, he did not say. Therefore, small wonder that Sunbeam looked pale and troubled, and that her fingers trembled slightly over her dainty embroidery as she listened to Lady Cruse's cheerful anticipations.

"You may be sure he will bring good news," exclaimed Lady Cruse for about the twentieth time that morning. "News that will save you from all the publicity of to-morrow. I feel sure of it. What else could have kept him from coming back, so soon after his engagement?"

She smiled gaily into the girl's grave face.

"You will see that I am right," she added, though with a sinking heart. "So try to look happy, my child."

Sunbeam sighed as she forced a smile to her lips. For what would mean release for her must also mean punishment for her father. So how could she rejoice over that. It was far better for things to remain as they were. She could not be very severely punished, whilst Bill, as an old offender, would get penal servitude for a certainty. No, she wanted to bear the punishment for him. It would be an atonement for her recent unfilial behavior. It would show him that she still loved him, that she was indeed grateful for all he had done for her. And yet the ordeal of to-morrow's trial seemed more than she could bear. She turned white at the thought of it, and looked down into the silent square anxiously. If only she could get out of it without betraying her father— If only—

Then she started up with a smothered cry of delight.

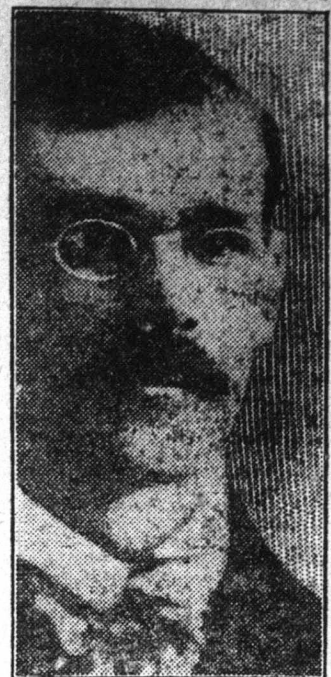
"Look!" she said. "Duncan is coming. He must have caught an earlier train than he said, and—"

"His news is good!" ejaculated Lady Cruse, as she looked down and waved

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and so nextorable, that her father was safe though the pearls were found. Had she been convicted her sacrifice might have been useless. Her cheeks glowed at the thought. Dan must have been waiting for her father that dreadful day and have taken charge of the proceeds of the robbery.

"You are safe, at any rate, my darling," ejaculated Lady Cruse. "Why need you worry about anything else?"

"Because, oh, because, well you know who and what I am—this burglar might have been my father—"

"And if I tell you that he was suspected you must be brave, dear," said Duncan. "For whatever happened between the two men, he is safe. No one knows where he has gone to. No one remembers anything about him since yesterday morning, and Dan was only caught last night. He walked in to the pit unwillingly. A detective was watching Bill Green's house—and caught Dan coming out of it. Inside there was no one, and—"

"Aunt Hetty? Oh, what has happened to her?"

"She has gone also. She and Bill, Dan, of course, denied everything. He was taken up on the bank robbery charge. But when they found the pearls of course the police were mad with delight, and the more he denied all knowledge of them, and of Brackley, the more certain they felt they had the man. Some one is coming to see you to tell you all about it. Only I gained on him

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## LAWLESSNESS IN EGYT

COUNTRY IN WORSE CONDITION THAN UNDER OLD KHEDEVE.

Governors of Provinces Being Constantly Interfered With by an Ignorant Inspector.

The lack of public security in the provinces, more especially in the Delta is causing the greatest anxiety at Cairo, Egypt. Brigandage, theft and murder are ever increasing, and in this respect the state of the country is worse than in the time of the Khedive Saïd Pasha. The cause is the unwieldiness of the machinery of the Ministry of the Interior. Moreover, there is no high official in the Ministry of the Interior who has had any previous experience of police work. It is a government by experiment.

Another fact which greatly militates against the successful policing of the country is the fact that the police of Egypt are by composition and training especially a military force, a gendarmerie, yet they are administered as a civil force.

### ADMINISTRATION'S THEORY.

The theory of the present Administration is that the Mudirs, or Governors of provinces, are absolutely responsible to the Minister for the state of the district under their control. But, in reality, their authority is continually being tinkered with by a young inspector, who has neither a sufficient knowledge of the country nor of Arabic to know when he is being wilfully misled, and who lessens the responsibility and weakens the authority of the Mudir; in fact, he irritates instead of soothing.

What is needed is a resident inspector who is entirely cognizant of the conditions under which, and of the characters of the people he is sent to help to govern, a man old enough to have a natural authority, with a certain knowledge of the country and experience of the people he is sent to govern, a working knowledge of their language, and, above all, he must have had practical experience of police work; in fact, a return to, and an improvement on, the system in vogue before the Egyptian civil service was started.

### WAVERING IN ALLEGIANCE.

At the present moment all seriously-minded Egyptians, who have been loyal to the occupation throughout, are wavering in their allegiance, because of the apparent inability of the present Government to suppress crime. When a crime is committed in a village, there is not one man, woman or child in that village who does not know the author within an hour. Yet, in many cases which come before the parquet the police profess themselves unable to trace the culprit, and in many well known

### TRUTH IN SIGNS.

Jorks—That's a queer sign for a barber—"Hair cut while you wait."  
Knowles—No; I seldom go to the barber's without having to wait while some other fellow's hair is being cut.

Dealer—"Here's a cigar I want you to try." Customer (a minute later)—"It don't deserve a trial. It ought to be lynched!"

"Mark my words," declared Mrs. Ferme, laying down the law to her long-suffering husband, "by the end of the century woman will have the rights she is fighting for." "I sha'n't care if she has," replied Ferme. "Do you mean it?" cried his wife. "Have I at last brought you round to my way of thinking. Won't you really care?" "Not a bit, my dear," returned her husband, resignedly. "I'll be dead then."

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A German physician has used the X-rays with success in the treatment of perspiration of the hands, a condition which is a source of great annoyance to some persons.

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It is hard to believe the truth the way some people tell it.

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## SWIFTEST SHIP AFLOAT.

The Destroyer Tartar Recently Made  
37.037 Knots an Hour.

England's naval experts state that England to-day possess a not only the biggest and most powerful warships, but that she has afloat the biggest and fastest fleet of destroyers in the world. They point out that when the King recently reviewed the home and reserve fleets, off Spithead, it was proved that of the 182 ships reviewed, 166 were able to leave immediately for the manoeuvres in an extraordinarily high percentage of preparedness.

England under present Administration has slightly reduced her naval expenditures. The total naval estimates for the year 1917-18 aggregated £31,419,500 (\$158,000,000), as against £31,369,500 (\$170,000,000) for the preceding year. This economy, though large, is unimportant considering the present great predominance of the British navy over all others. England intends to maintain this predominance by building four Dreadnoughts annually, and it is the intention of England to continue their construction until she possesses in vessels dating from the Dreadnought era

# A MAN'S REVENGE;

OR, THE CONVICT'S DAUGHTER.

## CHAPTER XXIX.—(Continued.)

"Of course I mean to stick to you," she exclaimed. "Whatever do you mean by saying that? There's no fear of your being caught. Sunbeam hasn't betrayed you?"

He moved uneasily in his chair. "Sunbeam!" he ejaculated. "What makes you think of 'er? She's out of it altogether, though I don't say she mayn't speak up for herself."

"She won't. I know her, and so do you. Why, Bill, you love her still. And you ain't the man to let her suffer for you. Think how we've pampered her, and think of where she may go for love of you. Oh, whatever you mean by your mysterious speaking is nothing to what we ought to feel for her—our golden haired baby."

"Shut up," he snarled, his eyes gleaming angrily. "I've no time to talk about 'er. It's her duty to return something for all I've done for 'er, so 'old yer noise and listen to me—"

"But you don't know the worst about her. That they've arrested her for stealing the pearls, and that—"

"Hang the pearls and you too. I know as much as I want. An' Sunbeam 'll come out o' it wot I ought, you bet. As you say, I've liked 'er, and— But there, you'll make me drivell like myself. You've to get ready for a journey. We're goin' to leave England this very night; I've made all arrangements, thanks to the pearls. The longed for farm an' bit o' ground will be ours after all. So 'urry up. We'll as s-on's possible."

"But it's too sudden. Bill; besides, we can't go away until Sunbeam is—"

"Gummon. Sunbeam'll be well looked after, you bet. If you care for me an' want a 'ome in your old age with me, you must do wot I say. If not, you can stay and get punished for me about the Sunbeam business, and run the risk o' no 'ome at all—for I mean to quit this soon's possible. Tain't the furst time you've rushed off in a 'urry, you're used to that by now, so the quicker you set to work the better. We'll fold up our beds an' walk, an' shake off the soil of England from our 'ee's afore midnight. You see, Het, I moight have gorn and left you, not bothered about you; but you've acted square by me, an' so I'll act square by you, long's there's a chance for me, there'll be one for you—"

"But Sunbeam!" she interposed tearfully.

"She'll do, I said. Besides, wot good can you do 'er? If her story come out, 'ow can you explain the past? They'll be bound to punish you some 'ow."

"But who will tell 'em? Why should that come out at all?"

"Leastways, she's lost to us, ain't she? Though Dan still grumbles about it, he's given up that idea of 'is. He only wanted 'er to make her work for us. I've made that up to him, and we're quits. But a might gess at the truth about 'er, and try to sell us. But I've cooked 'im."

He leaned back in his chair, chuckling with delight. She looked at him puzzled. Then, realizing that he was in a good temper, exclaimed:—

"How? And for all that, why should we go away, and leave Sunbeam? She loves us, and would let nothing happen to us."

ther returned in full force. What he had done for Sunbeam he did not know. But she felt reassured on that subject. She had never known Bill to deceive her, whatever he had done to others. And now her duty was to save him. She felt sorry for the suddenness of the flight, and dreaded the long sea voyage. But in another land things would be safer, and some day she would see Sunbeam again.

"You may be sure we shan't suffer for this. Sunbeam 'll be more use to us now than ever," were Bill's parting words as he went towards the door. "Git out o' this as soon's you can," he whispered with a wink and his finger on his nose.

## CHAPTER XXX.

The balcony of Munton Hotel overlooking the quiet market square, and was a favorite resort of all visitors. While it afforded a capital view of the town, especially on market days, its occupants were hidden from the gaze of the curious by the leafy branches of a magnificent wisteria and the graceful foliage of a virginia creeper, intermingling lovingly from base to roof of the old-fashioned building.

There Sunbeam sat with Lady Cruse the morning after Duncan's meeting with Hetty. Sat waiting for her low's return, her heart full of anxiety. For Duncan had not come back the night before, after all. They had received a telegram from him telling that he was detained. How and by what, he did not say. Therefore, small wonder that Sunbeam looked pale and troubled, and that her fingers trembled slightly over her dainty embroidery as she listened to Lady Cruse's cheerful anticipations.

"You may be sure he will bring good news," exclaimed Lady Cruse for about the twentieth time that morning. "News that will save you from all the publicity of to-morrow. I feel sure of it. What else could have kept him from coming back, so soon after his engagement?"

She smiled gaily into the girl's grave face.

"You will see that I am right," she added, though with a sinking heart. "So try to look happy, my child."

Sunbeam sighed as she forced a smile to her lips. For what would mean release for her must also mean punishment for her father. So how could she rejoice over that. It was far better for things to remain as they were. She could not be very severely punished, whilst Bill, as an old offender, would get penal servitude for a certainty. No, she wanted to bear the punishment for him. It would be an atonement for her recent unfilial behavior. It would show him that she still loved him, that she was indeed grateful for all he had done for her. And yet the ordeal of to-morrow's trial seemed more than she could bear. She turned white at the thought of it, and looked down into the silent square anxiously. If only she could get out of it without betraying her father— If only—

Then she started up with a smothered cry of delight.

"Look!" she said. "Duncan is coming. He must have caught an earlier train than he said, and—"

"His news is good!" ejaculated Lady Cruse, as she looked down and waved her hand to Duncan, who was coming

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and so next morning, that her father was safe though the pearls were found. Had she been convicted her sacrifice might have been useless. Her cheeks glowed at the thought. Dan must have been waiting for her father that dreadful day and have taken charge of the proceeds of the robbery.

"You are safe, at any rate, my darling," ejaculated Lady Cruse. "Why need you worry about anything else?"

"Because, oh, because, well you know who and what I am—this burglar might have been my father—"

"And if I tell you that he was suspected you must be brave, dear," said Duncan. "For whatever happened between the two men, he is safe. No one knows where he has gone to. No one remembers anything about him since yesterday morning, and Dan was only caught last night. He walked in to the jet unwillingly. A detective was watching Bill Green's house—and caught Dan coming out of it. Inside there was no one, and—"

"Aunt Hetty? Oh, what has happened to her?"

"She has gone also. She and Bill, Dan, of course, denied everything. He was taken up on the bank robbery charge. But when they found the pearls of course the police were mad with delight, and the more he denied all knowledge of them, and of Brackley, the more certain they felt they had the man. Some one is coming to see you to tell you all about it. Only I gained on him whilst he went to the police station, the

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The destroyer Tartar was built by John Thornycroft. She is a turbine, and her highest speed was attained in one of the six runs over the measured Admiralty course. The turbines are of the Parsons type.

The dimensions of the Tartar are as follows: The length on water-line, 270 feet; width on water-line, 26 feet; depth, 17 feet 2 inches; displacement, 850 tons. The shape which has been adopted for the vessel is that usually chosen by the Thornycrofts, which includes the graceful turtle deck, in place of the raised fore-castle. The turtle deck throws the water neatly overboard instead of under the upper deck. Her armament consists of three 12-pr. quick firing guns and two torpedo tubes.

The evolution of England's championship in the matter of the swiftest destroyer lies in the story of a long struggle against the resistance of sea and winds extending over years.

Thirty knots an hour was the speed aimed at, and in 1893 the Dart, almost reached this point, making a trifle over 29. In 1895 it was expected by the destroyer Desperate, which attained the coveted speed of 29 knots an hour.

Then the Japanese upset England's calculations with the destroyer Esmeralda, which made 31 knots. England at once raised the Dart, and with the Albion, she again scored the record, this last named destroyer reaching speed of 31.4 the over 30 knots.

But Esmeralda was not without a flaw, and in 1896 the Dart, the Tartar, which had scored a 31 knot run, then raised this to 35 and finally established the new record by sailing off the speedily run of 37.07 knots.

The wise old doctor was impressing upon his patient the necessity of moderation. "My lad," he advised, "no matter what you eat, always eat as much as when the day is hot. But I may shock if he had said any, 'That would be a good idea, wouldn't it?' And why not, my son? Because I'll always be hungry. The rest of the day would clear the table off and I got tired with that man useful."

I've cooked 'im."

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"How? And for all that, why should we go away, and leave Sunbeam? She loves us, and would let nothing happen to us."

He shook his head.

"I never trusts a female far, look you. She's in a tight 'ole still; she may give me up to save 'er skin, an' I'm too well-known to risk that. So we're off. Later praps you can see 'er again that is, if you come with me. Are you comin'?"

She met his eyes entreatingly. Her heart seemed torn in two. Affection and blood drew her to Bill, unsatisfied maternal craving to Sunbeam. She bowed her head.

"But you loved her," she murmured. "You were so good to her. How can we go? How can Dan guess enough to tell her story? If they knew that, then I might say, let us go, Bill, she wants us no more."

"And if I said that by this to-morrow morning she'll know it, what then?" he demanded.

She looked up eagerly.

"How can that be—unless, unless you— Oh, Bill, I knew you loved her and would save her. You noble, good man!"

He laughed sheepishly.

"The police should 'ear you, Het," he muttered. "Me noble an' good, by Jove! But hurry up, I'll tell you all I've done when we're safe. Dan may yet scent aught. But I'm level with 'im now."

"What have you done?" she asked, her curiosity rising as he laughed again.

"Saddled 'im with the pearls. You see, they can't be got rid of easily just now. But we've made a good exchange, or, rather, he won't think so. He was drunk as drunk as a lord, and I dragged 'im, an'— But I can't tell you now. Time's short. Listen, I'm off now, it takes a boat waits me at the docks; I'll land me down the river. As for you, you'll see I'll fill me by train. I'll be back out that I've got all his blasted savings an' left 'em the pearls will everyone knows of. How long it you be?"

As she listened, the sudden thought of imminent danger restored her courage. Such danger as this she was used to, and he was to go with her. Her eyes sparkled with amusement. During a Bill's last speech, she had seemed to her sense of humor. She was glad that he had been "saddled." Nothing could have pleased her more. But at the same time, she knew how desperate he would be in making the discovery. The detective love for her erring brother.

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"Look!" she said. "Duncan is coming. He must have caught an earlier train than he said, and—"

"His news is good!" ejaculated Lady Cruse, as she looked down and waved her hand to Duncan, who was coming quickly towards them, and, despite the bow of greenery enfolding them, had seen them and was waving his cap expectantly with all the appearance of being in good spirits.

"How delighted he looks, Sunbeam! Am I not a good prophet?"

But Sunbeam did not reply. Fear held her tongue and magnified the possibilities ahead. Was her father captured? Would she gain freedom at his expense?

She looked down into the street, half afraid to move, her hands tightly clasped. Duncan had disappeared below, soon he would be with them, telling them what had happened to make him look so joyful. And she was afraid to hear it afraid of seeing him, afraid to move and follow Lady Cruse into the room beyond.

So she remained there alone, trying to quell the strange, miserable feeling ere she joined the trio within, the feeling that was bitter-sweet, fraught with anxiety for her father and Hetty, and hope that in some mysterious manner she had been proved innocent.

Meanwhile Lady Cruse had entered the sitting-room where her husband sat writing, his back to her. She laid her hand on his shoulder. "Cruse," she said, "Duncan is coming, he has something to tell us, something good I feel sure. You were right after all."

"Thank goodness!" ejaculated Lord Cruse, throwing down his pen and turning round as the door opened and Duncan entered, hot, excited, his face beaming.

"Have you heard?" he began, glancing eagerly from one to the other. "Of course you haven't, evening papers don't get here at midday. Well, Cruse, here is one—and—"

"Oh, Duncan, what's it? Don't waste your time saying nothing. Tell us, we are dying to hear your news," exclaimed Lady Cruse.

"Of course you are. And jolly glad I am to be the first to tell you that your pearls have been found, and that—"

A low cry from Sunbeam, who had just entered the room, stopped him. He swung towards her and put his arm round her waist. The girl's white face expressed anything but pleasure, her lips parted to utter no sound.

"It is true, dearest. You are free, no conf. else freed from all blame. They have caught him, and with him the pearls."

"Hm!" exclaimed Sunbeam in a hoarse voice. "What do you mean, Duncan?"

Meeting her distressed eyes he read the thought that flitted there, and answered quickly:—

"The beggar known as Gentleman Dan—how got him last night, quite late. Of course he denies it, but he is a known hand, and was already suspected of the great bank robbery that took place some weeks ago—you all remember that a safe was emptied containing several thousands in gold notes."

"But I do not understand," whispered Sunbeam weakly. "How could they accuse him of taking the pearls when he was—?" She hesitated, blushing.

"They found them in his possession, darling!" retorted Duncan, smiling reassuringly into her startled, puzzled face. "And in his anger he let out that the missing notes had also been hidden there—he swore that he never touched the pearls, that he must have been robbed by a confederate, and that—"

"Did he say?" interrupted Sunbeam, her eager eyes compelling his attention. "I mean did he—? No, it must be impossible!"

She leaned back against him with a little sob. It all seemed so strange

was taken up on the bank robbery charge. But when they found the pearls of course the police were mad with delight, and the more he denied all knowledge of them, and of Brackley, the more certain they felt they had the man. Some one is coming to see you to tell you all about it. Only I gained on him whilst he went to the police station, for we travelled down together and I culled my information from him."

"But what kept you in town then?" asked Lady Cruse.

Duncan's face darkened. "I thought I should discover something myself, and waited for that. But I was mistaken, although I do not lose all hope of doing so."

"But there is nothing to discover now," ejaculated Lady Cruse with a little laugh. "This is evidently the end, and after a little while we shall settle down into the humdrum once more. Only who put the detectives to work, who suspected—?"

She hesitated and glanced at Sunbeam. But the same question filled the girl's eyes and she turned anxiously to Duncan. Had he done so? And if so what could she say to him? She ought to feel angry, and yet the relief of her escape was so great that she could feel nothing but pleasure, though at the same time somewhat anxious about Bill.

Duncan's answer, however, astonished them all as he replied:—

"St. Aubin I was told. Though how, and why I know no more than you."

"St. Aubin!" ejaculated Lord Cruse. "But how the dickens could he guess at—Bill Green—unless Elkon had told him Sunbeam's story and—"

Lady Cruse clasped her hands softly as she interposed:—

"Then Elkon was doing her best to help Sunbeam after all! How we have misjudged her! Poor girl, I see it now. Being young and intolerant she thought if her duty to prosecute and yet, all the time she has been trying to find the true culprit, or rather the one she thought probable. For of course, Sunbeam, I am not accusing any one, only you know—"

"That a bad reputation brands a man," interrupted the girl gently. "Yes, it is natural that you should all think, although you were kind enough not to say so, that I was my father I was trying to shield. But it is not over yet. I am not cleared—there will be more to say, and—certainly—I shall still be needed of carefully or thought to be shielding some one—"

Duncan drew her to him.

"That is all right now. Here is the man who will prove that to you. You need worry no more, my dearest," he murmured as the door opened and a servant entered with letters and announced the visitor.

"But Aunt Hetty, Duncan?" whispered Sunbeam hurriedly. "Do you think she's safe? That they are both—?"

"So things are not yet quite right for them. H—Dan, may—oh, what am I saying!"

"Noting that I do not know my dear's own," he replied, soothing her hand reassuringly as the detective was ushered into the room.

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## LAWLESSNESS IN EGYT

COUNTRY IN WORSE CONDITION THAN UNDER OLD KHEDIVÉ.

Governors of Provinces Being Constantly Interfered With by an Ignorant Inspector.

The lack of public security in the provinces, more especially in the Delta is causing the greatest anxiety at Cairo, Egypt. Brigandage, theft and murder are ever increasing, and in this respect the state of the country is worse than in the time of the Khedive Saïd Pasha. The cause is the unwieldiness of the machinery of the Ministry of the Interior. Moreover, there is no high official in the Ministry of the Interior who has had any previous experience of police work. It is a government by experiment.

Another fact which greatly militates against the successful policing of the country is the fact that the police of Egypt are by composition and training, especially a military force, a gendarmérie, yet they are administered as a civil force.

### ADMINISTRATION'S THEORY.

The theory of the present Administration is that the Mudirs, or Governors of provinces, are absolutely responsible to the Minister for the state of the district under their control. But, in reality, their authority is continually being tinkered with by a young inspector, who has neither a sufficient knowledge of the country nor of Arabic to know when he is being wilfully misled, and who lessens the responsibility and weakens the authority of the Mudir; in fact, he irritates instead of soothing.

What is needed is a resident inspector who is entirely cognizant of the conditions under which, and of the characters of the people he is sent to help to govern, a man old enough to have a natural authority, with a certain knowledge of the country and experience of the people he is sent to govern, a working knowledge of their language, and, above all, he must have had practical experience of police work; in fact, a return to, and an improvement on, the system in vogue before the Egyptian civil service was started.

### WAVERING IN ALLEGIANCE.

At the present moment all seriously-minded Egyptians, who have been loyal to the occupation throughout, are wavering in their allegiance, because of the apparent inability of the present Government to suppress crime. When a crime is committed in a village, there is not one man, woman or child in that village who does not know the author within an hour. Yet, in many cases, which come before the parquet, the police profess themselves unable to trace

### TRUTH IN SIGNS.

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### NEW USE FOR X-RAYS.

They are Said to Cure Excessive Perspiration of the Hands.

A German physician has used the X-rays with success in the treatment of perspiring hands, a condition which is a source of great annoyance to some persons.

According to the Medical Record the fact that the hands of Roentgen ray workers become very dry led him to invest gate the effect of the rays in cases of this sort. While it has not been found feasible to make use of the Roentgen rays as a means of destroying superfluous hair owing to the fact that in order to secure permanent ablation of the hair follicles too great alteration of the skin is a whole must be caused, it appears, that the functional activity of the sweat glands may be abrogated without undue risk.

The rays must be applied in considerable intensity, however, and in order to do this safely it is necessary to have a exact means of quantitative control.

### ODD OBSERVATIONS.

Some of us have fads, others are feds.

When duty calls we are apt to say "Not at home."

We must usually plant labor if we want to raise money.

It is hard to believe the truth the way some people tell it.

It is soothing to the nerves to be popular with yourself.

Besides gathering no moss, a rolling stone gravitates downhill.

The less you think about yourself, the more others are apt to think of you.

If the question "Who is wise?" were put to popular vote, we should each score one.

Some people cry so interested in making money that they forget how to spend it.

### MOUNT CLEMENS, MICHIGAN.

Mount Clemens is famous throughout America as an all-the-year-round health resort, and thousands of people bear testimony to the benefits derived from its mineral waters in cases of rheumatism and kindred diseases. For bilious and liver troubles, digestive troubles, nervous disorders, general debility, etc., the efficacy of its waters is wonderful. Seventy-five per cent of rheumatism are cured and ninety per cent benefited. Write J. D. McDonald, District Passenger Agent, Grand Trunk Railway System, Toronto, for handsome descriptive booklet telling you all about it.

### EXPLAINED.

She (on the Atlantic liner)—Did you observe the great appetite of that stout man at dinner?

He—Yes; he must be what they call a slowaway.

Everyone Thinks his own cross is the heaviest! When confined to the house with a pain in the side for instance, but it would be quickly forgotten if "The D & L" Menthol Plaster was applied. They only cost a trifle, why not try them?

How many times have you won out

the apparent inability of the present Government to suppress crime. When a crime is committed in a village, there is not one man, woman or child in that village who does not know the author within an hour. Yet, in many cases which come before the parquet the police profess themselves unable to trace the culprit, and in many well known cases the wrong man has been sentenced.

Neither the Minister of the Interior nor the adviser has the power to demand to see a process verbal drawn up by one of his police, after it has come into the hands of the parquet, a fact which has been the cause of much abuse. There is no reason why the Egyptian should not become a very efficient policeman, but he must learn, and at present he has no one to learn from, as the knowledge of his superiors is merely experimental.

There are advisers to the Ministers, and with the exception of the Ministry of the Interior, these advisers are specialists. There should, therefore, be specialist advisers to the Mudirs, who can insist on the right method being adopted instead of merely experimenting.

#### NOT IN THEIR CLASS.

"I suppose your family is in the social swim?"

"I should say so," answered M. Cum-rax. "We're getting so exclusive that I feel flattered if mother and the girls let me come to one of their parties!"

### BABY'S OWN TABLETS SAVE A LITTLE LIFE

Mrs. T. Osborn, Norton Mills, Vt., writes: "I do not think enough can be said in praise of Baby's Own Tablets. I am satisfied that our baby would not have been alive to-day if it had not been for the Tablets, as he was so weak and sick that he took no notice of anything. In this condition I gave him the Tablets and they have made him a bright-eyed, laughing baby, the pride of our home. He is one year old, has nine teeth, and is now as well as any baby can be. He sits and plays nearly all the time and lets me do my work without worry. I would say to all mothers who have sick babies give them Baby's Own Tablets as I did mine, and you will have healthy, happy babies." The Tablets will cure all the minor ailments of little ones and are absolutely safe. Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Bank Manager (to prospective depositor)—"Our system, sir, I better myself, is absolutely perfect. You literally have only to drop your money at the counter and go home without worrying. Prospective Depositor—"But how do you guard against possible defalcation?" Manager—"Sir, the cashier is confined in a boiler-iron cage with only one door. This opens on our patent dynamite scale, which is adjusted exactly to his weight, and if he were to attempt to elope with the lightest bag he would surely bring a bomb down on his head."



necessary to produce speed. The dairy cow not being kept for speed purposes, is not trained upon the track, but by being forced to obtain her growth by eating liberally of hay, fodder and silage. She should have a training that will tend to develop her digestive capacity, thus developing her to perform better her function as a dairy cow.

#### WARMING THE WATER FOR COWS.

Warming the water for milch cows results in more of it being consumed. When our first tank heater was introduced several years ago it did not take long to convince us that we got more milk than we had been getting when the cows drank it unwarmed, even though from a well-protected source.

We do not hear or read so much these days on this subject, because nearly everybody understands that ice water is not conducive to a large milk flow. Not all barns are equipped with inside watering devices, and many herds still go to the outside tank for drink. Since 85 per cent. of all milk consists of water, it pays to encourage a free consumption on the part of the cow.

One of the most successful dairymen I ever knew kept but a few cows, but he took excellent care of those few. In winter, since he had no better way, he carried a kettle of boiling water from the house every morning and took the chill off before the animals were allowed to drink from the half-barrel placed just inside the barnyard fence and near the well, from which it was filled by means of a wooden trough. His cows did not stay out of doors on cold days and at night water was carried to them in their stalls. This meant lots of work but he found that it paid to do it. Warm stables, plenty of good food and water will make cows do well even in the coldest weather. Salt is not food, but it is essential to health, and should be regularly supplied to stock of all kinds.

#### FARM NOTES.

Improved methods of culture are spread broadcast over the land by means of books and papers. For this reason farmers are more intelligent than the same class in any other country. Few farmers now scoff at agricultural information.

Eighty-seven per cent. of milk is water, which shows the necessity of providing in abundance for the cows, and it should always be pure and wholesome. Water from a stagnant pool, or a well which gets the seepage from decay and filth, may have in it a poison that finds its victim in the human family.

Herein lies the advantage of nitrate of soda. The nitrogen being at once available is promptly taken up by the plant roots, which force a vigorous growth during the forepart of the season; then the action ceases, no nitrogen being left in the soil, and the fruit matures. Fertilizers applied to an apple orchard at this time would not produce much effect the same season, but would appear in the crop of the following year.

The results of a number of careful examinations by eminent scientific men show that the total amount of ammonia brought down in a whole year in the rain, dew and snow is about eight pounds to an acre of surface, varying somewhat with seasons and localities; while in a crop of 28 bushels of wheat there were 45 pounds of nitrogen; in 2½ tons of meadow hay there were 56 pounds, and in 2½ tons of clover hay there were 108 pounds. The greatest benefit we have derived from the presence of snow on our fields, has been in facilitating the spreading of manure in winter, by drawing it over a frozen and snow-covered surface, instead of in mud early in spring.

#### NOT THE KIND HE WANTED.

"Little Willie ran away to hunt redskins."

"Yes?"

"But he didn't find any until his father had finished with him."

itching. **ITCH, Mange, Prairie Scratches and every form of contagious Itch on human or animals cured in 30 minutes by Wolford's Sanitary Lotion. It never fails. Sold by all druggists.**

How many times have you won out when invited to go up against another man's game?

**Intelligent Treatment with Allen's Lung Balm brings up the phlegm, stops the cough and pain in the chest, overcomes those terrible colds which, neglected, lead to consumption.**

#### NOT WORTH IT.

Nodd—"There was to be a meeting of my creditors to-day."

Todd—"Well, wasn't there?"

"No. They unanimously agreed that they couldn't afford to spend the time."

**Sure Regulators.**—Mandrake and Dandelion are known to exert a powerful influence on the liver and kidneys, restoring them to healthful action, including a regular flow of the secretions and imparting to the organs complete power to perform their functions. These valuable ingredients enter into the composition of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, and serve to render them the agreeable and salutary medicine they are. There are few pills so effective as they in their action.

"Do you think your dad would say anything if I told him we were going to be married?" "I don't know, but I fancy he'd say something if you told him we weren't."

#### PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

**PAZO OINTMENT** is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

"Can't you wait a year before marrying my daughter?" "I can; but my creditors can't."

**Do not give up in despair, you who suffer from limited disfigurement of the skin.** Anoint the face with Weaver's Cosmetics and purify the blood with Weaver's Syrup. All druggists keep them.

#### THE FIRST STRAW.

When a young woman asks a young man to let her sew on a button the world holds its breath.

You cannot be happy while you have corns. Then do not delay in getting a bottle of Holloway's Corn Cure. It removes all kinds of corns without pain. Failure with it is unknown.

Just because a man says nothing he isn't necessarily a sawyer of wood.

Pat had got hurt—not much more than a scratch, it is true, but his employer had visions of being compelled to keep him for life, and had adopted the wise course of sending him at once to the hospital. After the house-surgeon had examined him carefully, he said to the nurse: "As subcutaneous abrasion is not observable, I do not think there is any reason to apprehend feigned mental civilization of the wound. Then turning to the patient, he asked, quizzically:—"What do you think, Pat?" "Sure," said Pat, "you're a wonderful thought-reader, doctor. You took the very words out of my mouth. That's just what I was going to say!"

## Black Watch

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#### INDUSTRIAL NOTE.

The wages of sin have not been raised, either, in spite of the fact that prices generally have gone up.

Help your children to grow strong and robust by counteracting anything that causes ill-health. One great cause of disease in children is worms. Remove them with Mother Graves' Worm Extirminator. It never fails.

Occasionally a woman is so deceptive that she will even try to make a man believe she loves him when she does.

#### TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

**Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets.** Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

No real hustler would give two cents for the things that come to those who wait.

**Puts You on Your Feet and keeps you there** That's what "Ferrovin" does for all those recovering from wasting diseases. It is the best tonic in existence. It stimulates, nourishes and builds up the system.

Bishop Goodman (impressively)—"Only think, children! In Africa there are 10,000,000 square miles of territory without a single Sunday-school where little boys and girls can spend their Sundays. Now, what should we all try and save up our money and do?" Class (in ecstatic union)—"Go to Africa!"

**They Wake the Torpid Energies.**—Machinery not properly supervised and left to run itself, very soon shows fault in its working. It is the same with the digestive organs. Unregulated from time to time they are likely to become torpid and throw the whole system out of gear. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills were made to meet such cases. They restore to the full the flagging faculties, and bring in order all parts of the mechanism.

Dr. Gorman B. B. of Belfast, at a recent medical gathering there, stated that he had used serum in cases of spinal meningitis with great success. We note the death rate had been 70 per cent.; it was now reduced to 30 per cent.

### Shiloh's Cure

Cures Coughs and Colds QUICKLY

Use Shiloh's Cure for the worst cold, the sharpest cough—try it on a guarantee of your money back if it doesn't actually CURE quicker than anything you ever tried. Safe to take, nothing in it to hurt even a baby. 34 years of success commend Shiloh's Cure—25c., 50c., \$1. 314

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# FINANCES FOR PAST YEAR LEADING MARKETS

## Receipts and Expenditures of the Province of Ontario.

Total receipts .....	\$8,320,419.19
Total expenditures .....	7,714,245.61

Surplus .....

Refunds .....	40,254.55
Miscellaneous .....	196,515.12

\$5,800,126.55

The remaining \$1,867,269.06 is made up of payments to the asylums, \$340,000 in interest, \$120,000 in railway aid certificates, \$587,162 under special statute, and many small amounts.

### SPECIAL.

Of the special expenditures during the year, the following were the most interesting:—Refund to Montreal River Pulp Co., \$20,000; purchase of yacht Lurline, \$10,000; members of Legislature visiting mining districts, \$4,585; Prince Fushimi, \$1,265; funeral late Hon. J. W. St. John, \$2,454.35; English journalists, \$4,500; mining engineers, \$6,305; new roads in mining districts, \$34,623.

During the year \$17,925.49 was expended in enforcing the Liquor License Act, which includes the salaries of special officers. The trip of the British artillerymen to Cobalt cost \$245.58. The travelling expenses of Mr. A. H. U. C. Johnson, Deputy Minister of Education, to the Congress on School Hygiene in London, Eng., were \$526.34.

### COST OF HYDRO.

The expenses and salaries in connection with the Hydro-Electric Power Commission amounted to \$40,524.21, of which the salaries came to \$14,448.42. Last year the expenditure was \$26,000.

The Text Book Commission cost \$7,292. In the statement T. W. Crothers, one of the commissioners, is put down as receiving \$192 on account of services, while the other two commissioners received \$2,000 each. Mr. Crothers refused to accept payment over his expenses.

### SCHOOL BOOKS CHEAP.

Of course, those who pay know all about the reduction in the price of school books. But, in reply to a question, Hon. Dr. Pyne put on record the fact that all the Public school books and English, French and German texts in High schools had been reduced from 50 to 66 per cent.

As to Separate school books, which are issued under different agreements, no changes or reductions have been made. It was also expected, added Dr. Pyne, that the prices of all text books would be reduced, and as soon as possible.

### CHILDREN IN ORPHANAGES.

The Large Increase is Ascribed to Recently Arrived Immigrants.

In his Annual Report just issued, Dr. Bruce Smith, Inspector of Charities, says:

"During the past year 31 orphanages have received government aid. These institutions had a total population of 4,426 children. The total expenditure for the maintenance of these charities during the year was \$158,368.

"The number of children in the Orphanages of Ontario is two hundred more than last year. This is not a hopeful sign, and on enquiry I find that the increase in the number of inmates is, in many institutions, ascribed to the many children belonging to the immigrant class, recently arrived in this country, who have had to be provided for. The best institution is a poor substitute for the home. The Children's Aid Societies throughout Ontario have more applications for children for adoption.

ment of all orphanages, after a child has remained a certain period, to decide in regard to his removal for adoption."

### HACKED WITH AN AXE.

Fight Between Brothers Near Ste. Agathe, Quebec.

A despatch from Montreal says: Details of a tragedy which took place near St. Agathe on Friday morning have just reached here. A number of lumbermen had been on a spree since last Saturday. Thursday night they held a party, to which women were invited. They danced until early Friday, when the women left for their homes, while the men continued to drink and feast. Between 8 and 9 o'clock one of two brothers named Martel started to hitch up his horse to return home. The other brother did not wish to go yet, and objected to his brother going. Hot words passed and a fist fight followed. One

## Fashion Hints.

### COLORS IN MILLINERY.

The union of blues and purples is a favorite ground for experiment this season, and since the slightest mistake in shade means disaster many of these experiments are distinct failures; but, on the other hand, there are combinations of purple and soft dull blue which are triumphs of color harmony.

Purple, blue and gray are the dominant colors in the new millinery, but there is infinite variety in shadings of these colors, and the wine shades, greens and browns are well represented, while the all-black hat, black and white hat and all-white hat are popular, as they always are.

Large choux of tulle trimmings, broad-brimmed hats, usually of the lighter colors, combine even more tones than are seen in the velvet trimming.

Dull, rather light blue, gray, violet and a vague green were all combined in the tulle trimming of one exquisite great hat from Alphonsine, and from Reboux comes a hat of purple velvet on which are massed all imaginable fuchsia tints, purple, red, pink, all vivid, yet consoling as amicably and with harmony as unerring as in the flower itself.

Plumes of many tones, too, are associated upon one hat, the color scheme not including merely many shades of one color, but many contrasting colors so subtly mingled that they do not strike one discordant note.

These are problems for artist milliners, but the dyers have furnished color keys in many of the flower and feather trimmings which may inspire even a milliner who could not of her own initiative plan color combinations so unusual and so successful.

To the marvelous skill of the dyers is due much of the rise in millinery prices, for the results obtained imply much experiment and highly skilled labor, and these things cost.

It is only in nature that beauty does not invariably come high.

Any adequate description of the colorings obtained in feathers and flowers is an impossibility.

It seems as though every imaginable color scheme had been essayed by the makers of these trimmings and the results are admirable.

Ostrich plumes and other feather trimmings show exquisite color combinations, the ostrich feathers shading from stem to tips or from stem to end, not only through shades of one color, but through contrasting colors as well. Vivid blue shading to black, blue and gray, fuchsia red and taupe, but the combinations are innumerable, and the same is true in the province of the many curious feather trimmings grouped under the head of "fantasia."

Ostrich plumes, especially of the uncurled, willow type, are as modish and as costly as ever, but they are not so novel as certain other feathers, and consequently many women have turned aside to these new favorites.

Osprey egrettes, massed so that they swirl over the whole crown of the hat and fall out over the wide brim, are popular, and have a delightful effect of lightness in this day of heavy hats, but they are, of course, exceedingly expensive.

For that matter, so are all of the really fine and beautiful feathers.

The gourah feathers, which are prime favorites and are especially charming when used in the fashion just described, that is, spraying over the whole crown of the hat and forming practically the sole trimming, were expensive even last season, but have doubled in price, and, thanks to the demand, are still soaring.

Toronto, March 10.—Manitoba Wheat—No. 1 northern, \$1.82; No. 2 northern, \$1.18; No. 3, \$1.13½; feed wheat, 87c; No. 2 feed, 62½c.

Ontario Wheat—No. 2 white, 95c outside; No. 2 red, 95c; No. 2 mixed, 94c to 94½c; goose, 91c to 92c.

Corn—Firm; No. 3 yellow American, 67c; Toronto freights; No. 3 mixed, ½c less; inferior, 64c to 65c.

Barley—No. 2, 71c to 73c. Peas—87c. Rye—No. 2, 84c. Buckwheat—No. 2, 67c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 52c to 53c outside, 54c on track Toronto; No. 2 mixed, 49c to 50c outside.

Flour—Manitoba patents, special brands, \$6; seconds, \$5.40; strong bakers', \$5.30; winter wheat patents, \$3.60.

Bran—Full cars, \$23 to \$24.80, bags included, outside. Shorts—Scarce, \$23 to \$24.

Call board quotations:—Winter Wheat—No. 2 white, 96c asked outside; No. 2 red, 94½c bid Grand Trunk west; No. 2 mixed, 94c bid C. P. R., 95½c outside asked.

Oats—No. 2 white, 52c bid, C. P. R. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 62½c bid Toronto, to arrive.

### COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Poultry—Very quiet. Young turkeys, extra choice . . . 13c to 15c Young geese . . . . . 9c to 11c Young ducks . . . . . 9c to 11c Chickens, choice . . . . . 12c to 13c

Old fowl . . . . . 6c to 8c Inferior chicks and fowls . . . 5c to 7c Butter—Scarce, with prices firm.

Creamery, prints . . . . . 30c to 31c do solids . . . . . 29c to 30c Dairy prints . . . . . 25c to 27c

do large rolls . . . . . 24c to 25c do solids . . . . . 23c to 24c Inferior . . . . . 20c to 21c

Eggs—Storage, 21c to 22c per dozen, in car lots; lined, 19c to 20c; new-laid, 26c to 27c.

Honey—Strained steady at 11c to 12c per pound for 60-pound pails and 12c to 13c for 5 to 10-pound pails. Combs at \$1.75 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Cheese—Steady at 13½c for large and 14c for twins, in job lots here. Beans—Firm; \$1.70 to \$1.75 for primes and \$1.80 to \$1.85 for hand-picked.

Baled Straw—\$9 to \$10 per ton on track here. Baled Hay—\$16 to \$17 in car lots on track here.

Potatoes—Ontario, 90c to \$1; Delaware, \$1 to \$1.10 in car lots on track here.

### PROVISIONS.

Pork—Short cut, \$21.50 to \$22 per barrel; mess, \$18 to \$18.50. Lard—Tierces, 11½c; tubs, 11½c; pails, 12c.

Smoked and Dry Salted Meats—Long clear bacon, 9½c for tons and cases; hams, medium and light, 13c to 13½c; hams, large, 11½c to 12c; backs, 16c to 17c; shoulders, 9½c; rolls, 10c; breakfast bacon, 14c; green meats cut of pickle, 1c less than smoked.

### MONTREAL MARKETS.

Montreal, March 10.—Local flour prices are firmly maintained. Choice spring wheat patents, \$6.10; seconds, \$5.50; winter wheat patents, \$5.50; straight rollers, \$5 to \$5.25; do in bags, \$2.35 to \$2.50; extra, \$1.80 to \$1.90.

Eastern Canada No. 2 white oats, 53c; No. 3, 49c to 49½c; No. 4, 48c to 48½c; rejected, 46c to 47c, and Manitoba rejected, 49½c to 50c per bushel, ex store.

Manitoba bran, \$28; shorts, \$25; Ontario bran, shorts, \$23.50 to \$24; middlings, \$26 to \$27; shorts, \$24 to \$24.50 per ton, including bags; pure grain moulle, \$32 to \$34, and milled grades, \$25 to \$29 per ton.

Rolled oats, \$2.75; corn, \$1.60 to \$1.76 per bag.

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ment. Nearly factories dismissed their men and instructed them to assist in the rescue. They braved the fire and made heroic efforts to save the ones who were not dead.

### WILL MAKE THREE LAWS.

#### Prince of Wales Opposes the Cruel Bearing Rein.

A despatch from London says: At the annual meeting of the Anti-Bearing Rein Association on Wednesday a speaker said the movement had the hearty support of the Prince of Wales, who had promised the speedy suppression of the cruel bearing-rein practice when he came to the throne. He quoted the Prince's denunciation of the practice, published in a book by Gen. Baden-Powell, saying: "When I am King I will make three laws. No one shall cut puppies' tails, there will be no more gin in the country, and nobody shall use bearing-reins, because they hurt the horses."

Five large lumber companies in the west have amalgamated with a capital of ten million dollars.

## PERISHED IN SCHOOL FIRE

### 165 Children Caught in the Flames in Suburb of Cleveland, Ohio.

A despatch from Cleveland, Ohio, says: In a fire which completely destroyed the common school building in Collingwood, a suburb, on Wednesday one hundred and sixty-five lost their lives.

The fire was started by an overheated furnace. The flames quickly spread, but a panic ensued when the building filled with smoke and the 400 children attempted to escape.

There were but two exits in the building that were available. One soon became choked with the children, who madly dashed for the open air. Those who fell in the doorway were trampled upon by the ones behind and soon the doorway was impassable.

#### ESCAPE WAS CUT OFF.

The frightened and panic-stricken children turned to get out through the windows and by any other means that could be found. Escape was cut off by the flames, which by this time had spread throughout the rooms. The building was of brick, yet this did not retard the progress of the fire.

In a few minutes the lower floor fell, precipitating scores of children to the basement among the burning embers.

#### A HEARTRENDING SCENE.

The scene about the building was heartrending. Quickly the news of the terrible catastrophe spread throughout the village and hundreds of parents were crowded about the building in search of their girls and boys.

In a few minutes twenty bodies had been taken from the ruins. Plainly the writhing or stifled forms of dozens of others could be seen in the base-

ment. Nearby factories dismissed their men and instructed them to assist in the rescue. They braved the fire and made heroic efforts to save the ones who were not dead.

Three little girls met instant death in attempting to jump from the third floor.

#### FRANTIC FATHER'S EFFORTS.

A man named Doran, who arrived upon the scene early, when the children were crowded in the front door, discovered his little girl among the mass of injured and crushed. He caught the girl by the hands, and in his frantic efforts to save her pulled her arms from her body.

The last four, who were children of the janitor of the building, lost their lives together.

#### ONE EXIT CLOSED.

The greatest loss of life was caused by one of the exits being closed, to which point scores of the children rushed. Their escape was blocked by a door that opened inward. In this manner they were delayed in reaching the other door and windows.

It is said that as a result of this stampede alone scores of children lost their lives.

#### TWO TEACHERS MISSING.

Of the nine teachers of the school seven are accounted for. The two missing are Katherine Weiler, of Cleveland, and Grace Fiske, of Cleveland. Principal Frank P. Whitney, of the school, estimates the number of dead at 165. The pupils were mostly little children, ranging in age from 9 to 12 years.

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A steady and active demand prevails for cheese. September westerns are selling at 13c for white and 13½c for colored; September easterns, 13½c for white and 13½c for colored.

Butter—Stocks are light and receipts are practically nil. Grass goods, 31c to 33c; current receipts, 29c to 30c.

Eggs—Canadian fresh are selling at 29c to 30c; American fresh at 28c to 29c; Canadian select, 27c to 28c; Montreal limed, 21c to 23c.

Provisions—Barrels short cut mess, \$21; half barrels, \$10.75; clear fat backs, \$23; long cut heavy mess, \$20; half barrels do., \$10.50; dry salt long clear backs, 10½c; barrels plate beef, 12.50 to \$15; half barrels do., \$7.25 to \$7.75; barrels heavy mess beef, \$10 to \$11; half barrels do., \$5.50 to \$6, compound lard, 8½c to 9c; pure lard, 11½c to 11¾c; kettle rendered, 11½c to 12c; hams, 12c to 13½c, according to size; breakfast bacon, 14c to 15c; Windsor bacon, 14½c to 15½c; fresh killed abattoir dressed hogs, \$8.25; live, \$5.75 to \$5.85.

#### BUFFALO MARKETS.

Buffalo, March 10.—Wheat—Spring easier; No. 1 Northern, \$1.13; Winter steady; No. 2 red, \$1.06½. Corn—Firm; No. 2 yellow, 67c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 53½c; No. 2 white, 52½c. Barley—95c to \$1.05. Rye—No. 1, 90c.

#### NEW YORK WHEAT MARKET.

New York, March 10.—Spot easy; No. 2 red, \$1.03½ elevator; No. 2 red, \$1.04½ f.o.b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, \$1.20 f.o.b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, \$1.16½ f.o.b. afloat.

#### LIVE STOCK MARKET.

A few lots of good exporters' cattle were on sale. A select bunch brought \$5.30 per cwt. Heavy bulls sold as high as \$4.50 per cwt.

Butchers' cattle, selected, \$4.75 to \$5.10; choice loads, \$4.50 to \$4.85; medium, \$4 to \$4.40; common to medium, \$3.25 to \$3.75; cows, choice, \$3.75 to \$4.25; cows, medium, \$3 to \$3.70; cows, common, \$2.50 to \$3; butchers', bulls \$2.50 to \$3.50 per cwt.

A load of stockers was sold at \$3 to \$2.60 per cwt.

Calves were in good demand. Choice ones sold at 5 to 6½c, and heavy at 3 to 4½c per pound.

Trade in lambs was slow on account of the large offerings. Prices of both lambs and sheep were steady. Quotations were:—Lambs, grain-fed, 6½ to 7c; lambs, common, 5 to 6c; export ewes, 4½ to 4¾c, and export bucks, 3 to 4c per pound.

Hogs continued to sell at \$5 per cwt. for selects, and \$4.75 for lights and fats.

#### DECREASE IN TRADE.

#### Month's Returns in Britain Show General Falling Off.

A despatch from London says: Board of Trade returns for February show a decrease in imports of \$2,498,910 as compared with the same month last year. Exports during the month totalled \$15,747,570, a decrease of \$619,155.

#### HAY AND STRAW EXCLUDED.

#### British Board of Agriculture Passes Order of Prohibition.

A despatch from London says: The Board of Agriculture has passed an order prohibiting the importation of hay and straw into Great Britain. The order takes immediate effect.

The gourah feathers, which are prime favorites and are especially charming when used in the fashion just described, that is, spraying over the whole crown of the hat and forming practically the sole trimming, were expensive even last season, but have doubled in price, and, thanks to the demand, are still soaring.

They are usually left in their natural coloring of smoke gray, touched with white, and are charming upon an all gray hat, upon blue, violet and many another color.

Coarser feathers, many of them more freakish than beautiful, trim less expensive hats, often making up by charm of coloring for lack of the fineness and delicacy that are the charm of the osprey and the gourah.

#### AN INCREASE IN REVENUE.

#### Financial Statement of Dominion for Eleven Months of Fiscal Year.

A despatch from Ottawa says: The financial statement of the Dominion for the eleven months of the current fiscal year, as entered on the books of the Finance Department on Feb. 19th, shows a total revenue of \$87,607,299, an increase of \$3,689,749, as compared with the corresponding months of 1906-07.

The total expenditure of the Consolidated Fund account for the eleven months was \$60,720,333, an increase of \$10,735,686. The capital expenditure for the period was \$25,768,488, of which \$20,183,830 was for public works, railways and canals, including the construction of the National Transcontinental Railway.

The surplus of the total revenue over the total expenditure for the eleven months is \$1,118,458.

For the month of February the total revenue was \$6,577,020, a decrease of \$740,793, as compared with February last year.

For the eleven months, the total Post-office revenue has been \$6,357,320, an increase of \$632,097. Customs revenue has increased by \$7,040,873, and excise by \$545,364.

#### DYNAMITE EXPLOSION.

#### One Man Killed and Five Injured on the Transcontinental Railway.

A despatch from Kenora says: A dynamite accident, in which one man was killed and five others injured, occurred at Parson's camp, No. 8, Transcontinental Railway, recently. H. Belose was killed and W. Muse, foreman, was seriously injured. The men were engaged in loading a 30-foot hole, which had been sprung on the Saturday previously. A large number of sticks of dynamite had been put in, when the foreman was called to another part of the work. Upon his return to where the dynamite was put in, while tamping this to place, the explosion took place.

#### RAISE THE AGE LIMIT.

#### Make Youths Under 20 Keep Away From Pool Rooms.

A despatch from Toronto says: Legislation to raise the age at which youths are permitted to frequent pool rooms was asked by representatives of the municipality of Orillia, who called on the Attorney-General on Wednesday. There was an agitation to reduce the license fee payable by those establishments and in view of the feeling against allowing boys to spend their time in them, the municipality suggests that youths under 20 be forbidden to visit them. The minimum age at present is 18 years.

The estimated expenditure for the Province of Ontario for this year is \$7,501,875.67.

E. A. Reinhardt, a Montreal businessman, committed suicide with a carving-knife, on Friday.

## CONDENSED NEWS ITEMS

### HAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER THE GLOBE.

#### Telegraph Briefs From Our Own and Other Countries of Recent Events.

##### CANADA.

Galt is to spend \$292,121.35 on sewers.

No more immigrants will be permitted to go to Chatham.

The Salvation Army has an extensive immigration scheme for 1908.

All steam locomotives have been taken off the Sarnia tunnel trips.

The estimates of the Toronto Board of Education for this year amount to \$1,397,004.

Transportation authorities expect the immigration to Canada this season will surpass all former years.

With the exception of some ice in Lake St. Peter, the St. Lawrence is open from Montreal to the sea.

It is reported that telephone rates at Fort William may be advanced owing to a deficit in the accounts.

Mr. W. T. Payne has been appointed manager of the C. P. R. Pacific fleet, with headquarters at Yokohama.

The surplus of the Provincial revenue over the expenditures at the close of the financial year was \$608,173.58.

Temporary hotels may be erected to accommodate those attending the Quebec tercentenary celebration.

Ontario will contribute \$2,000 to send a team of athletes to compete at the Olympic games in the old country.

Mr. W. L. Mackenzie King will go to England to interview the Imperial and Indian authorities regarding emigration from India to the Dominion.

The strike in the mills of the Dominion Textile Company at Hochelaga and St. Henri has been settled. About 2,300 employees returned to work on Monday.

General Otter has declined the Aldershot appointment and will be made Chief of Staff in the Canadian militia. General Lake will fill the post of Inspector-General for a time.

The appointment of a successor to the late Judge Killam as Chairman of the Railway Commission will probably be made soon, though the Government has not as yet considered the matter.

J. S. McIntosh, a student at the Manitoba Agricultural College, suspended for hazing, disappeared, and his dead body was found in the attic of the college, where he had committed suicide on Saturday.

##### GREAT BRITAIN.

The dowager-Empress of Russia has arrived in London on a visit to her sister, Queen Alexandra.

New ships are being built at Belfast to permit of the building of vessels a thousand feet in length.

It is announced in London that the Prince of Wales will represent King Edward at the Quebec tercentenary.

Mr. Asquith informed the British House of Commons that it was the Government's intention to maintain the two-power standard of the navy.

##### UNITED STATES.

A museum firm is anxious to transport an ancient Egyptian tomb to Chicago.

Twelve hundred children marched out of a burning school at Grand Rapids, Mich., without a mishap.

Ten sailors of the schooner John F. Milton, which was wrecked on the Alaskan coast, died from exposure.

William Lawson of Wilkesbarre, Pa., was hired to spend thirty days in jail in place of a man convicted of perjury.

The Deputy Warden of Montana penitentiary was killed and the Warden

## HEALTH

### INFLUENZA.

Influenza is an acute infectious disease of peculiar character. Its original home is believed to have been in that mysterious region called Eastern Central Asia, where also the plague is thought to have its natural habitat. From this region it was wont to issue at irregular intervals of from four or five years to seventy or eighty, and invade first Russia and then western Europe.

It was for long not known how it spread from one country to another, affecting large districts almost at once. Its appearance in a city, for example, was hardly noted before the entire city was in its grip. It was thought due to some mysterious atmospheric "influence," whence its name from the Italian form of the word. The French call it la grippe, whence our "grippe," because of the way it seems to seize upon its victims.

The last great irruption of the disease was in 1889-90, when it spread over the entire civilized world with such extreme rapidity that the belief in an atmospheric influence was for a time revived. A study of the epidemic, however, proved that it followed the wanderings of human beings along the lines of travel, at first in a definite direction, because the travel in Siberia and eastern Russia was along narrow caravan routes and in a westward direction. Once it reached populous western Europe, with its radiating lines of railways, it burst forth in every direction like the explosion of a rocket which has journeyed for a time in a straight line up through the air.

This explosion and almost simultaneous diffusion throughout Europe was simply the result of human intercourse. As soon as the earlier carriers of the infection reached a populous city they scattered in various directions to their homes or to lodging-houses and hotels; and each one who was suffering at the time from the disease became a focus of infection, and from each of these centres the disease spread, and the grippe seized upon great numbers in all parts of the city at the same time, as soon as the incubative period of from one to four days had passed. Europe for a time had the epidemic to itself, but in ten days or two weeks, just long enough for the steamers to bring their infected human cargo, it appeared here on the Eastern coast, and as fast as steam could carry it spread over the entire country.

The epidemics in former times lasted from one to three or four years and then ceased, but since 1890 influenza has been epidemic in Europe and America every winter.

This is an exceedingly infectious disease, often confounded with a common cold, but really an entirely different affair. It attacks young adults more frequently than the very old or children, but no age is exempt, especially during severe and wide-spread epidemics.

An attack confers immunity for a variable period, from a few months to a year, but after that there appears to be an increased susceptibility. Many persons suffer from the disease every year.

Influenza prevails chiefly in late autumn and winter, although epidemics may occur in the summer, especially if the season is cold and wet. The disease assumes one of three special forms, called from the parts chiefly affected the respiratory, the digestive and the nervous. In each case the onset is sudden, with a chill, headache and mental depression, muscular pains, dizziness and high fever. Sometimes there are premonitory symptoms for a day or two, such as lassitude, mental torpor, dull headache and pains in the arms and legs. Soon after the onset catarrh

## LETTER FROM THE KAISER

### Demand That Lord Tweedmouth Produce It In Parliament.

A despatch from London says: An outburst of anger against Emperor William on the part of the British public, equalling that caused by the German Emperor's famous telegram to President Kruger in 1896 after the defeat of the Jameson raiders, has followed the announcement made on Friday morning by The Times that Emperor William had attempted to influence the British naval policy by a secret correspondence with Lord Tweedmouth, First Lord of the Admiralty. The suspicion that Emperor William was trying to meddle by underhand methods in a matter vital to Britain's national life caused intense excitement both in the House of Parliament and outside. In fact, the matter was considered so serious that Lord Tweedmouth broke his customary reticence and hastened to say that the

letter from the Kaiser was a purely personal communication and had no reference in it to the British naval estimates.

#### THE TWO NAVIES COMPARED.

According to one version, Emperor William's letter to Lord Tweedmouth gave exhaustive details of the comparative strength of the navies of Great Britain and Germany, and basing his opinion on this comparison the Emperor said he thought the German fleet could not be considered more than one-fifth as strong as that of Great Britain. This being so, Emperor William thought Great Britain had no need to fear any rivalry in naval supremacy from Germany, and that consequently there was no need of any increase in the ship-building programme of Great Britain.

## YOUNG FOLKS

### THE DOG THAT DANCED.

It was Saturday, and so, of course, there was no school. All the week the ice on the ponds had been growing thicker and thicker, to the great joy of the Conway boys, James and Arthur, and their friend, George Arnold; for their fathers had told them that if the ice was strong enough by Saturday they might skate down across Long Pond and go through the pass to Big Island Lake.

It was found that the ice was thick enough, so about ten o'clock they started. Their mothers had put up luncheons for them, and the boys were going to build a fire on the ice, near the shore, to keep warm while they ate, and perhaps cook some bacon by sticking the slices in the ends of split sticks, and holding it over the fire.

The ice was so clear that the boys, by putting their faces down close to it could look through it like a pane of glass, and see things on the bottom, near the shore, and dead leaves moving slowly along toward the outlet. Once George saw a fish—a big pickerel, as long as his arm.

By the time they reached the foot of Long Pond it was nearly noon, and the boys were so hungry that they decided to have their luncheon at once. They wanted some dry wood to make the fire, so they all took off their skates and laid them down on the ice by the boxes of luncheon. Then they went back a little way into the woods on the shore, for the sticks.

Each boy gathered a big armful—so big that it stuck way up in the air in front of him and almost kept him from seeing where he was going. But they pushed their way through the bushes to the ice again, and dropped the wood in a pile for their fire.

Just then they heard a crackling in the bushes. They turned and saw a big, funny-looking dog coming out. He was shaggy, and a kind of dirty brown in color; and he had small eyes, very black, that twinkled, and a sharp nose that kept quivering and wrinkling up.

When he saw the boys he stopped a moment, and put his nose up in the air and sniffed. Then he walked slowly out on the ice toward the boys' luncheon. His walk was ungainly.

had little rings of gold. He talked very loud to the bear, and seemed to be scolding him, but the boys could not understand what he said. He walked right up to the bear and slapped him twice across the face with his hand. The bear whined, and began to dance all the faster. Then the little man took a big collar from his pocket and strapped it round the bear's neck, and began to lead him away by a rope. Just before he went he turned to the boys and said, with a smile that showed his white teeth, "Bad Beppo! Run away. No like dance. Get cold, get seek."—Youth's Companion.

#### PRIVATE HEIR TO FORTUNE.

Soldier at London Barracks Inherits \$145,000 by Death of Father.

A despatch from London, Ont., says: Thomas Kirby, a private at Wolseley Barracks, was notified on Wednesday that he had fallen heir to a fortune of \$145,000 left him by his father, a wealthy stationer, of Warwick, England, who died recently. The information came about in a peculiar way through an employee of the Bank of Montreal noticing an advertisement in an English paper requesting information as to the location of the missing heir. He imparted the information to one of the officers, who, in turn, instituted an inquiry that revealed that Kirby was the party referred to.

#### A CANADIAN ARMY.

Plans for Mobilization of Large Force at Quebec.

A despatch from Ottawa says: The Militia Department is now devising ways and means for the mobilization of troops at Quebec next summer. It transports, commissariat, and other arrangements can be satisfactorily arranged eighteen thousand men will be encamped for a week or so on the Plains of Abraham. It may, however, be found necessary to cut the number down to twelve thousand, but in any event the Canadian army assembled at Quebec will be the most imposing ever seen in the country during the last hundred years.

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men, without a mishap. Ten sailors of the schooner John F. Milton, which was wrecked on the Alaskan coast, died from exposure. William Lawson of Wilkesbarre, Pa., was hired to spend thirty days in jail in place of a man convicted of perjury. The Deputy Warden of Montana penitentiary was killed and the Warden wounded by a number of convicts, on Saturday.

The Irish patriotic organizations in the United States are endeavoring to prevent the ratification of a British-American arbitration treaty.

The British Naval and Military Veterans' Association of Massachusetts will bring a regiment to Quebec at the time of the visit of the Prince of Wales in July.

United States immigration officials have been ordered to co-operate with the police in their efforts to sweep the country clean of alien Anarchists and criminals.

Chancellor Day of Syracuse University must answer before the New York Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church to a charge of speaking evil of President Roosevelt.

## GENERAL.

King Leopold has consented to the annexation by Belgium of the Congo Free State.

General Stoessel has been allowed his liberty pending the result of his appeal to the Czar.

Dubno, a town in Russia Poland, has been sold by its owner to an Austrian Count for \$2,000,000.

China has apologized to Japan for the insult offered the Japanese flag on the steamer Tatsu Maru.

Tens of thousands of persons have been impoverished by floods in the valley of the Pehlo River, in China.

It is stated at Tokio that large numbers of Indian laborers are taking passage at Hong Kong for Vancouver.

Rubber hunters in the German Cameroons, West Africa, till recently forced natives to work for them and to supply food.

## WESTERN GRAIN CROP.

Recent Snow Storm Will Have Beneficial Effect.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: During the past week there has been a very heavy fall of snow in Manitoba, which has materially brightened the prospects of a good crop, for the prevailing impression among old pioneers is that a heavy snow fall is necessary to good crops in western Canada. Much of the land in Manitoba and Saskatchewan and Alberta has been prepared for seeding; the long open fall last year having enabled the farmers to do a great deal more fall ploughing than usual. The prospects are that a much larger area will be put under crop this spring. Thousands of new settlers will seed and others are increasing their cultivated areas. The wheat crop will likely be increased anywhere from ten to fifteen per cent., but it is likely that the oat crop will be reduced, owing to the fact that seed cannot be procured, and new settlers cannot afford to pay the price of \$1.05 to \$1.10 per bushel now demanded for good oats. If the season is at all favorable an unusually early seeding is expected. A little has been done in the chickpea belt of southern Alberta, and at one or two points in Saskatchewan, but it will not likely be general for some weeks.

## CUT HIS THROAT ON A TRAIN.

Suicide of Thomas Dempsey on His Way to Jail.

A despatch from Gladstone, Manitoba, says: A lunatic named Thomas Dempsey of Roblin, Man., committed suicide on a C. N. R. train on Thursday night while being conveyed to Portage jail. He had a small knife concealed in his clothing and cut his throat, dying shortly afterwards.

the respiratory, the digestive and the nervous. In each case the onset is sudden, with a chill, headache and mental depression, muscular pains, dizziness and high fever. Sometimes there are premonitory symptoms for a day or two, such as lassitude, mental torpor, dull headache and pains in the arms and legs. Soon after the onset catarrhal symptoms—sneezing, running at the nose and watering of the eyes—make their appearance. In the respiratory form these increase in severity, and there are also cough and shortness of breath. It is not uncommon for this form to develop into pneumonia.

In the digestive form the most prominent symptoms are nausea and vomiting, or diarrhoea and severe abdominal pains, the first two indicating involvement of the stomach, the second two that the intestines are involved; sometimes all are present at once, indicating a very severe attack.

In the nervous form the headache is usually intense, and the muscular and neuralgic pains are very severe. Depression, both physical and mental, is a prominent symptom, the despondency often passing into real melancholia and sometimes leading to suicide. Insomnia is a common symptom, both during the attack and following it.

Convalescence is tedious, the body regaining its strength very slowly and the mind throwing off its depression only after weeks or months.

The most important part of the treatment is absolute rest in bed. The sick-room is to be, if possible, on the sunny side of the house, with windows kept open both day and night. The patient should be protected by light but warm bedclothes, and by a silk nightcap. The diet should be greatly restricted, especially while the fever lasts, but water should be drunk in abundance. The medicinal treatment naturally varies with the form which the disease assumes and the parts which it attacks.—Youth's Companion.

## TWO MILES WITH LEG OFF.

The Wonderful Endurance Shown by Daniel Stetson.

A despatch from Vancouver says: Daniel Stetson, a handlogger, after losing his right leg crawled through two miles of bush to tide water at Toba Inlet, 250 miles north of Vancouver, got into a boat and rowed two miles to a logging camp. He was working alone and was caught by a falling tree and his right leg was frightfully crushed. Stetson cut the shreds of the skin remaining. The men in camp procured the launch Dolpin and took him to Lund. From there he was taken to Vananda Hospital, where he died. The body was brought to Vancouver.

## JUVENILE IMMIGRANTS.

J. J. Kelso, Superintendent of Neglected and Dependent Children, in his report on juvenile immigration into Ontario for 1907, recently made public, states that the total number of children who came into the Province was 2,159, as compared with 2,243 for 1906. The percentage of crime among the children of this class has greatly diminished, and this is attributed to the close inspection made at Liverpool. Before they are allowed to board ship there, the children must be able to read and write, and if they have been used to street life must spend a period in one of the homes before being allowed to come to Canada. The children located in the Province during the past year were brought out under the auspices of the following institutions:—Dr. Barnardo's Home, Toronto, 750; Dr. Barnardo's Home, Peterborough, 346; Catholic Emigration Society, Ottawa, 331; Fegan Home, Toronto, 73; Macpherson Home, Stratford, 179; Marchmont Home, Belleville, 80; Church of England Society, Niagara, 45; Fairknows Home, Brockville, 182; The Salvation Army, 25; Smyly Home, Hespeler, 23; Stephenson Home, Hamilton, 113; Hurst House Training Home, 12.

was shaggy, and a kind of dirty brown in color; and he had small eyes, very black, that twinkled, and a sharp nose that kept quivering and wrinkling up.

When he saw the boys he stopped a moment, and put his nose up in the air and sniffed. Then he walked slowly out on the ice toward the boys' luncheon. His walk was ungainly.

"What a big dog he is!" said James; and indeed he was—bigger than any the boys had ever seen before.

"And what a funny walk he has!" said George. Then the other boys noticed it too—a kind of roly-poly, waddling walk, as if he were made of jelly, all shaky. They had never seen a dog walk like that before.

The dog did not pay any attention to the boys, but kept right on toward the lunch-boxes they had left on the ice. He did not seem to be cross, and they went a few steps toward him, and shouted and shook sticks at him, which they took from the pile of wood. Then he growled, but kept right on toward the luncheon.

"Throw your stick at him," said James to Arthur. "Perhaps that will scare him."

Arthur threw the stick, but as it whirled through the air, the big dog suddenly stood up on his hind legs and caught the stick in one of his paws, just as a boy will catch a baseball bat which another boy tosses to him. Then the boys were astonished and terrified to see him begin to dance on his hind legs, moving in a circle, balancing the stick, swinging his head up and down, and making a funny noise that was partly growl and partly as if he were trying to sing when he had a cold.

"It's a bear! It's a bear!" cried George and Arthur together; and getting James by the hand, they all three started to run.

Now every boy knows how hard it is to run on ice without skates. You keep slipping and sliding, and you cannot turn quickly at all. Before the boys could reach the shore, the bear, moving in a circle, had got between them and the land, and in trying to turn, James slipped and slid right ahead, toward the bear. He set up a great cry, but George and Arthur did not let go of him, although they, too, were very much frightened.

Then, all at once, there came a great shouting and crashing in the bushes, and out popped a little man with high boots and a red flannel shirt and a fur cap. His eyes were big and black, and his hair curly; and in his ears he

seen in the country during the last hundred years.

## IS BLOODY SPORT.

Many Men and Animals Die in Bull Fights.

A new circus is being built in Madrid for bull fights which will seat over 17,000 persons. In 1907, 2,280 bulls and 2,720 horses were killed in the sport. Of human lives seven were lost, including that of Torador Montes, who died in the arena last January, and whose death was considered a national loss.

Then there was the death of the "Bandilleros" Melito, who, happening to be present at a bull fight and not being satisfied with the way the performance was being conducted, jumped into the arena. The enraged bull soon put him to death.

During the past year 82 persons were severely wounded, most of them matadores.

## WHEN FATHER SHAVES.

The most exciting time we know At home on Sunday morning, And keeps us all upon the go, All other duties scorning, Occurs about the hour of ten, When solemn-faced and grave, Our father yawns and stretches, then We know he's going to shave.

And when he cuts himself, oh, my! There's trouble in the air, Then everyone of us must fly, For father will declare: "This wouldn't happen if you'd make Those noisy kids behave!" Oh, yes, it makes us youngsters quake When father starts to shave!

We know the danger's over when Upon the door he knocks; And mother goes to him again With powder-puff and box. Though generally he lets us shirk, One hour we must be grave, For each of us has got to work When father starts to shave.

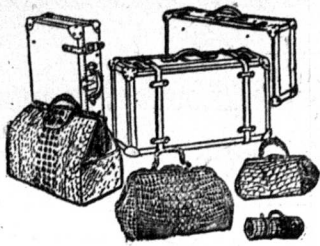
## THE DIFFERENCE.

Gladys Vanderbilt wore lace 200 years old when she was married, but the ordinary married woman raises a howl if she has to wear last year's hat another season.

# PRODUCT OF THE MINES

## The Output of Ontario Was Large During Last Year.

The total value of the products of Ontario mines in 1907 was \$24,343,302, an advance over 1906 of \$1,954,919. The greatest increase is again to be found in the output of silver, which totalled 9,666,504 ounces valued at \$5,927,858, the increase being equivalent to \$2,238,572. Of the metallic products nickel comes next in point of value, its 10,968 tons being valued at \$2,271,616. Gold only increased to the extent of \$206, the output being worth \$66,399. The output of cobalt, 733 tons, is valued at \$92,751. The production of copper increased by \$84,698, the 7,733 tons mined being valued at \$1,045,511. Of iron ore 200,185 tons were mined worth \$471,126, while the product of pig iron, in the making of which a large quantity of imported ore was used, reached \$4,716,857 in value, an increase over the previous year of \$162,610. The non-metallic products were: Arsenic, 3,305 tons, worth \$1,640; common brick, \$1,940,000, a decrease of \$217,000; drain tiles, \$248,000, decrease \$4,500; pressed bricks, \$490,417, increase \$161,622; paving brick, \$73,270, increase \$28,270; building and crushed stone, \$675,000, increase \$15,000; calcium carbide \$173,763, increase \$10,983; Portland cement, \$2,610,698, increase \$229,684; natural rock cement, \$5,097, decrease \$900; corundum, \$242,600, decrease \$19,840; feldspar, \$30,375, decrease \$13,474; graphite, \$20,000, increase \$5,000; gypsum, \$10,776, increase \$4,171; iron pyrites, \$51,837, increase \$11,254; lime, \$412,000, decrease \$84,785; mica, \$82,929, increase \$13,888; natural gas, \$755,167, increase \$221,721; petroleum, \$1,049,631, increase \$288,085; pottery, \$51,985, decrease \$14,015, quarry, \$121,148, increase \$58,363; salt, \$376,621, increase \$8,833; sewer pipe, \$592,588, increase \$312,068; talc, \$5,010, increase \$1,980. The returns are not quite complete, notably those for lead.



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Rev. Dr. Marsh Sc. D. F. R. A. S. will preach at both services on Sunday. Special music by the choir. The male quartette will sing in the evening.

### Western Methodist Church.

A grand concert, to raise a fund for choir purposes, will be held in the church on Tuesday evening, March 24th, at 8 p.m. Mr. M. S. Madole will act as chairman, and Rev. W. H. Emsley will deliver an interesting address. The programme consisting of Part Songs, Solos, Recitations, etc., will be sustained entirely by members of the choir, from whom tickets may be had. The admission fee will be 25 cents.

### Cheap Excursion. March 16th.

This Excursion will be conducted by Rev. Dr. Marsh, Sc. D. F. R. A. S. in the Western Methodist Church on the above date. Dr. Marsh is a well known scientist and will give an illustrated address on the geography of the skies. His views taken through the best telescope in the world have been recognized by many high in science as being the best ever shown. Read posters and small bills for particulars.

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The undersigned wishes to notify the public that Fredericksburgh grist mill will be open for grinding every day until further notice. I will be pleased to meet the many customers of the mill, who have patronized it in the past. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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### Notice.

A series of Evangelistic meetings, conducted by Mr. Joseph Pearson, will be held (D. V.) in the Gospel Hall over J. J. Haines Shoe House, commencing this Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, and continued nightly, except Saturday, at 7.45 p. m. Everybody welcome. Come.

### Tea at Chambers.

A Grand Tea will be served in the Methodist Church here, by the ladies of the congregation on Friday eve, March 20th, 1908, after which a first-class programme will be rendered by local and foreign talent, all for 25c. A good time is expected, everybody is going.

### To-Night.

Capt. H. Hurd will visit the local corps of the Salvation Army with Stereopticon Views, illustrating a true story of life in London entitled "Paying the fare." The above is a splendid service well worth hearing. The admission fee is placed at the small sum of ten cents. All are welcome.

### Books, Bibles &c.

On account of the bad state of the roads, Mr. Jas. Gordon the Colporteur, has not been able to get about on his usual trips through the country. For the present he will be found generally at Wallace's Drug Store, or at his home on West St near Presbyterian Church. Any orders sent in by mail, he will be pleased to attend to.

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Marmora, Ont., March 6.—Frank  
Meyers, farmer, residing in Marmora  
Township, committed suicide at the  
Royal Hotel here yesterday. He pur-  
chased strychnine from a local drug-  
gist, and mixed with it whiskey,  
which he drank. He then went to the  
hotel stables and asked to be allowed  
to lie down on the hay as he was feel-  
ing sick. The hostler covered him up  
with robes, and left him, and on re-  
turning shortly after found him un-  
conscious. A doctor was summoned,  
but the man died before he arrived.  
Coroner MacKechnie held a post-mor-  
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ailing for some time, and his mind was  
affected. A wife and six children sur-  
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### The Hospital Aid Society.

The regular meeting of the Hospital  
Aid Society will be held Monday after-  
noon, March 16th, at 3.30 in the Board  
room of the Public Library. All  
ladies are specially requested to be  
present as important business will be  
discussed.

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Ankle supports, skate straps, pucks,  
and hockey sticks.

**M. S. MADOLE.**

Mr. J. F. Diamond, Tamworth, has  
been appointed Township Clerk of  
Sheffield in place of Mr. Jas. Aylsworth.

The Grand Trunk Railway Company  
are making some repairs to the bridge  
which covers the river at the east end  
of the town. Sixteen new sixteen ton  
girders are being put in.

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Mr. Chas Fisher, by request, is ar-  
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the Gerhard Heintzman Co. Will  
those who wish to have their Pianos  
tuned please notify him as early as  
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by—T. B. Wallace

Evelyn Nesbit Thaw will institute  
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marriage to Harry K. Thaw. The  
action will be based on the allegation  
the defendant was insane when the  
union was contracted. Thaw purposes  
to defend the suit.

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to England next June to represent the  
diocese of Ontario at the great Church Con-  
gress in the Royal Albert Hall, when ex-  
perts from all over the world will discuss  
church problems. The deliberations and  
work of this great gathering will close with  
a triumphant Thanksgiving service in St.  
Paul's Cathedral on 24th June, when  
Thanksgiving of five million dollars is to  
be devoted for Church activities outside the  
British Isles.

Hunting takes the pride of place in  
the March number of "Rod and Gun  
and Motor Sports in Canada," pub-  
lished by W. J. Taylor, at Woodstock,  
Ont. From the fascinating sport of  
caribou hunting in Newfoundland we are  
taken to deer stalking in the Gati-  
neau Valley, hunting on a Quebec pre-  
serve, a successful hunt in Muskoka,  
and a successful one in New Brun-  
swick. The C. P. R. Wolf Hunt is told  
about, while a bear hunt is also de-  
scribed. These papers are varied by an  
excellent one on the blood hound.  
Some rough backwoods experiences  
show the reality as compared with the  
glitter of the life on the frontiers of  
civilization. Good illustrations are a  
feature of this number.

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protect and ornament the head, soften  
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and consequently tone up an aged ap-  
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### Brisco Opera House.

A grand St. Patrick's concert, under  
the auspices of the congregation of St.  
Patrick's church, will be held in the  
Brisco opera house on Tuesday evening  
March 17th. The following excellent  
talent will take part in the entertain-  
ment, introducing some of the best  
Irish Melodies: Mrs. Grace E. Grant,  
soprano, Belleville; Miss Kate Bawden,  
contralto, Belleville; Mrs. F. E. Van-  
Luven, soprano, Napanee; Mr. Doyle,  
baritone, Belleville; and Mr. Chas.  
Fisher, baritone, Napanee. All under  
the musical direction of Mrs. Dr.  
Loekridge, accompanist.

### Notice.

To the public who have so generos-  
ly patronized us in our different lines  
of business for the past twenty years,  
we feel grateful, and hereby wish to  
thank each and every one for your  
patronage. We have sold our store  
and two cheese factories (Moscow and  
Petworth) to Mr. F. P. Johnston, and  
solicit your patronage and influence  
for him. We have still several lines  
of business and solicit a continuance  
of the liberal patronage given us in  
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Yours truly,  
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As there is no pay in advance you cer-  
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teach at Napanee from March 12th to  
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## An Apology.

Enterprise, March 3rd, 1908.  
Mrs. Ann Eliza Marlin,  
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Dear Madam—

I regret that the report about you and Norman Jackson obtained any circulation through me. I am satisfied it was not true, and I unconditionally retract the statements made by me.

LORA LOCKWOOD.

## HISTORICAL.

The March meeting of the Lennox and Addington Historical Society will be held in the Library Building on Friday evening, March 20th, 1908, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. C. C. Jones, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, will deliver an address on "The Making of the Province." Mr. James is probably the best informed student of local history in Canada and his address will be of great interest. A paper on "The Early Amusements of the County" will also be read. Everyone welcome.

## OBITUARY.

MRS. W. J. HULL.

Mrs. W. J. Hull, of Grand Rapids, Mich., (formerly Miss Minnie Sanderson, of Napanee) passed away at her home in Grand Rapids on Thursday last, after a short illness. Deceased was well known in Napanee, a former employee of the Bell Telephone Co. She was here last summer nursing her sister through her serious illness and her sudden death is a sad bereavement to the family and friends. Deceased was about thirty years of age and leaves besides her sorrowing husband two young daughters, aged three and seven years, her mother, two sisters and three brothers. The remains were brought to Napanee on Sunday and the funeral took place from her mother's residence on Monday afternoon. Her husband was a former resident of Deseronto.

GEORGE LLOYD.

In the death of Mr. Geo. Lloyd, which occurred at the home of his son, John, in Belleville, on Saturday, another of Napanee's pioneer residents has been called to receive his reward in the great beyond. Deceased was ill

## PERSONALS

Mr. M. B. Mills spent a few days in Toronto this week on business.

Mrs. Dr. Maxwell, Lime Lake, spent Thursday of last week in town.

Mr. Asa Hartin, of Enterprise, was in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. Wayne, West Plain, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. Denison, Centre street.

Mrs. David B. Wilson left Thursday for Vancouver to meet her husband.

Mrs. Thos VanLuyen, of Collins Bay, was in Napanee Wednesday.

Mrs. Jas Ketcheson, Melita, Man., spent this week with friends in Napanee.

Mrs. John Charles, Yarker, spent a couple of days this week in town with friends.

Word has been received from Mr. Aubrey Gibson who is pleasantly located at St. Faustin, Que., and is enjoying excellent health.

Mrs. Duffet, Adolphustown, is visiting her daughter, at Clinton, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Sanderson, of Deseronto, were in town on Monday attending the funeral of his sister, Mrs. G. W. Hull.

Mr. Wm. Dillenbeck left on Monday for Pierson, Man.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ferguson returned to Indian Head, Man., last week.

Dr. C. G. Templeton returned to Brandon, Man., on Monday.

Mr. Chas Stevens left on Thursday last for a trip to Chatham and other points west. Mr. Stevens spent Sunday with his son, Mr. W. O. Stevens, London.

Mr. Jas Hayhon, jr. Camden East, is holidaying in New York.

Mr. A. B. Root was in Cobourg on Saturday last.

James Knap, of Kingston, was in Napanee Tuesday.

Mr. A. G. Knight, of Picton, was in Napanee a couple of days this week looking for a residence for himself and wife.

Miss H. G. Mitchell, Toronto, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Smith, Graham street.

Miss Horton, M. L. A., is engaged for the musical part of the program at the Concert, to be given in Odessa, Friday evening, March 13th.

Mr. John Neilson is home from North Bay on a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Neilson, Bridge street.

Judge Deroche, of Belleville, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. R. H. Baker was in Toronto a few days this week.

Mrs. M. J. Bates, Bath, spent last week the guest of her sister, Mrs. Sidney Martin.

Mr. Hiram Walker, of Florida, near Wilton, sold the late Geo Walker farm to Hanlon Carroll, of Yarker, on Tuesday last. The price paid was \$3,100.

Mr. Jas. Robin made a business trip to Belleville on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Caton and Mrs. B. Loyd moved into the new brick house in front of Court House on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Shibley, Wellington Babcock, and Milton Parrott, of Wilton, were visitors in Napanee on Tuesday.

Mr. John A. Hunter, and Mr. Wagar, of Tunworth, were visitors in Napanee on Tuesday.

Mr. Will Savage left this week for North Bay where he has secured a good situation.

Mr. Jas. Vine and family, of Gosport, have moved to Napanee and taken up their residence in Salem.

Miss Sheppard, of Toronto, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hall while in town to assist at the anniversary services of Trinity Church.

Miss Luella Hall is home from Toronto for a short visit.

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Chas. Fisher, baritone, and the  
Ladies' Quartette of the Choral Club,  
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the Brisco Opera House, Tuesday

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#### SCHOOL SECTION NO 4 RICHMOND.

Report for February.

SR. Fourth (500)—Hattie Herrington 397, Grant Cook 394, Harold Dupre 393, Myrtle Cook 381, Almer Arnold 307, Jim Herrington 231.

Intermediate Fourth (500)—Elgin Arnold 342, Bruce Calder 172.

JR. Fourth (500)—Bessie McCarten 309, Rae Arnold, 268, Dan McCarten 224, Fred Hanes 145.

SR. Third (300)—Annie Berrington 406, Annie Quinn 357.

JR. Third (400)—Walter Young 301, Mabel McCarten 288.

SR. Second (400)—Sam Hamby 294, Earl Cook 235.

JR. Second (300)—Clayton Arnold 189.

Part Second (300)—Francis Quinn 230, Morley Cook 211.

Part First—Sara Herrington, Durie Hanes, Muriel Hanes.

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Mr. Jas. Vine and family, of Gosport, have moved to Napanee and taken up their residence in Salem.

Miss Sheppard, of Toronto, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hall while in town to assist at the anniversary services of Trinity Church.

Miss Luella Hall is home from Toronto for a short visit.

Mr. J. W. Hall left on Thursday, for the west to visit his sons.

Mr. Alex Walker left on Thursday for Saskatchewan, after spending the winter in this vicinity.

Mr. Albert Lloyd, of Watertown; Wilbur Lloyd and John Lloyd, of Belleville; and Mrs. Wm. Francisco, of Kingston, were in town on Monday attending the funeral of their father, Mr. Geo. Lloyd.

Invitations are out announcing the marriage of Miss Francis Elliott to Mr. Robert Franklin Brown, to take place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Brown, Upper Mill street, Deseronto, on Wednesday evening, March 25th, 1908, at 9 o'clock.

Mr. Lydiaw, cattle buyer, of Enterprise, is spending the week in Watertown.

Miss Alice Pruyn and Miss Julia Wilcox, of Picton, are visiting Mrs. Herbert Robinson, Kingston.

Mrs. W. A. Bellhouse is the guest of Mrs. Thos. Tandy, Clergy street, Kingston.

Mrs. A. V. Diller held her reception, at 'Maple Grove,' Morven, on the 4th and 5th of March, between the hours of three and five in the afternoon. The bride received in her wedding gown of cream albatross. She was assisted by Miss M. Vanslyck, of Napanee, who was gowned in black silk, relieved by a vest of white lace over duck-egg satin. Little Miss Florence Diller attended the door, and Miss Edna Lake, of Kingston, niece of the bride, served refreshments. Several piano selections were rendered by Miss Lake during the reception.

#### BIRTHS.

PIERSON—At Napanee, on Tuesday, March 10th, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pierson, twin boys, still born.

#### DEATHS.

LLOYD—At Belleville, on Saturday, March 7th, 1908, George Lloyd aged 78 years, 1 month and 8 days.

HOOPER—At South Napanee, on Monday, March 9th, 1908, Mrs. Elizabeth Hooper, aged 89 years, 1 month, and 8 days.

THOMPSON—In the 3rd concession of Camden, on Sunday, March 8th, 1908, Alberta, the beloved wife of James Thompson, aged 31 years. The remains were brought to Napanee on Tuesday and placed in the Western cemetery vault.

#### MARRIAGES.

GIBBS—Brown—At Warman, Sask., by Rev. Mr. Bennett, on Wednesday, March 4th, 1908. Mr. Ernest R. Gibson, of Napanee, to Miss George Brown, of Stevens' Point, Wis.

HARVEY—BICKNELL—At Boise Idaho, Feb 26th, 1908, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Bicknell, (late of Camden East) their daughter, Lilly Bicknell, B. A., to Harvey Henry Harvey, Esq., Merchant of Chicago. Mrs. Harvey is the grand-daughter of Mrs. J. T. Grange.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hooper, an aged resident of South Napanee, passed away on Monday at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. Wm. Hicks, aged 89 years, 1 month and 8 days. The funeral took place on Wednesday from her late residence to the Eastern Cemetery vault.

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#### ERINSVILLE.

On Sunday, March 1st, the house, barn and sheds, belonging to Thomas Evans were destroyed by fire. Mr. Evans and the family were about the house that morning, as usual. Mrs. Evans was up stairs. Marie Champagne called to Mrs. Evans to hurry downstairs that there was smoke in the hall. She rushed down, taking the children with her. Mr. Evans ran for water, but when he returned the house was so full of smoke he could not go in. Miss Champagne, after calling to Mrs. Evans, remained in the hall for a second or two, and by that time the means of escape by the stairs was cut off. She managed to open a door leading to the verandah and from there was helped by some men to the street. In a few minutes the flames were bursting out the doors and windows and there was no chance of saving anything in the house. A number of men saved the stock, hay, etc. There was only two thousand dollars insurance on the buildings, and the loss must be five thousand at least. It was a fine brick house and first-class out building. The cause of the fire is a mystery. The store and dwelling of Mrs. W. J. O'Brien were in danger for a time, but the men worked hard and the wind was favorable. Much credit is due to a number of men who worked on the roof of the store. Their hands and face were scorched with the heat from the burning building. The bucket brigade did good work as in a very short time there were tubs and barrels of water to keep the roof and side of the building wet.

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